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FOREWORD.

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I. POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS—

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II. PRIMARY AND SECONDARY INDUSTRIES—

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Annual—Agricultural Statistics (Preliminary Statement); Bee Farming; Dairying Industry (half yearly); Farm Machinery on Rural Holdings; Fishing and Whaling; Food Production and Apparent Consumption of Foodstuffs and Nutrients; Fruit Growing Industry*; Live Stock Numbers*; Mining and Quarrying; Rural Land Use and Crop Production; Value of Production* and Indexes of Price and Quantum of Farm Production; Wheat Industry (usually two each year); Wool Production; Wool Production and Utilization.
Monthly—Dairying; Gold Mining Industry; Meat Industry.

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Monthly—Production*; Production Summaries (a series of 48 summaries, each dealing with a particular commodity or group of commodities).

III. BUILDING—

Quarterly—Building*.
Monthly—Building Approvals.

IV. OVERSEA TRADE—

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V. TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION—

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Periodic—Census of Motor Vehicles, 31st December, 1962.

VI. RETAIL SALES—

Quarterly—Instalment Credit for Retail Sales; Retail Sales of Goods*.
Monthly—Instalment Credit for Retail Sales; Retail Sales of Goods*.
Periodic—Census of Retail Establishments and Other Services, 1961-62.

VII. PRIVATE FINANCE—

Annual—Oversea Investment*.
Quarterly—New Capital Raisings*; Unit Trusts, Land Trusts and Mutual Funds.
Monthly—Banking (General)*; Life Insurance; Savings Banks*.

VIII. PUBLIC FINANCE—

Annual—Taxation Collections.
Quarterly—Quarterly Estimates of National Income and Expenditure.

IX. SOCIAL STATISTICS—

Periodic—Social Statistics (Education, Health, Welfare, Justice).
Annual—Universities.

X. EMPLOYMENT, ETC.—

Monthly—Employment*; Wage Rates and Earnings; Industrial Disputes.
* Also preliminary statements.

XI. PRICES—

Quarterly—Consumer Price Index.

Monthly—Export Price Index; Wholesale Price (Basic Materials and Foodstuffs) Index.

Digest of Current Economic Statistics—a general monthly publication containing a selection of economic indicators.

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SECTION 1.—POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS.

NOTE.—Estimated Population of States.—For dates subsequent to the latest population Census the estimated population in each State represents the population ascertained at the Census plus natural increase and recorded net migration into the State since the Census. As complete records of interstate migration are not available, the estimated State populations so derived are approximate and are subject to revision when the actual population of each State is ascertained at the next Census. For some States such revisions were substantial after the Census of 1961. Particulars of population in this section are exclusive of full-blood Aborigines.

AREA AND POPULATION.

State or Territory.	Area— Square Miles.	Estimated Population.						
		31st December, 1963.			30th June, 1964.			Capital Cities, Estimates 30th June, 1963.
		Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	
N.S.W. ..	309,433	2,052,339	2,033,954	4,086,293	2,068,494	2,048,212	4,116,706	2,256,110
Victoria ..	87,884	1,546,890	1,533,325	3,080,215	1,573,118	1,557,842	3,130,960	2,003,100
Queensland ..	667,000	798,224	773,758	1,571,982	806,883	782,128	1,589,011	649,500
South Australia	380,070	514,458	505,716	1,020,174	520,440	511,179	1,031,619	600,200
W. Australia ..	975,920	398,691	386,016	784,707	401,102	388,815	789,917	445,000
Tasmania ..	26,215	189,515	184,125	373,640	184,384	180,182	364,566	121,275
N. Territory ..	520,280	17,042	11,780	28,822	18,779	13,538	32,317	13,500
A.C.T. ..	939	40,495	37,083	77,578	41,820	38,593	(a) 80,413 (b) 70,775	
Australia ..	2,967,741	5,557,054	5,465,757	11,022,811	5,615,020	5,520,489	11,135,509	6,159,460

(a) Based on the results of the population count of Canberra, 30th June, 1964, which showed the population to be 77,644. (b) Population count of Canberra, 1st July, 1963.

ESTIMATED POPULATION.

Year.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Nor. Terr.	A.C.T.	Australia.
AT 30TH JUNE.									
1960	3,832,453	2,857,389	1,495,927	945,320	722,080	343,910	25,573	52,368	10,275,020
1961(a)	3,917,013	2,930,113	1,518,828	969,340	736,629	350,340	27,095	58,828	10,508,186
1962	3,976,736	2,991,471	1,542,629	989,389	754,477	356,937	27,790	65,692	10,705,121
1963	4,048,598	3,055,731	1,566,218	1,008,994	772,511	361,320	29,424	73,453	10,916,249
1964	4,116,706	3,130,960	1,589,011	1,031,619	789,917	364,566	32,317	80,413	11,135,509
AT 31ST DECEMBER.									
1959	3,794,077	2,811,429	1,477,161	934,497	718,691	351,349	23,814	49,950	10,160,968
1960	3,877,261	2,888,290	1,502,286	957,022	731,033	355,969	24,787	55,272	10,391,920
1961	3,949,420	2,950,790	1,525,278	980,755	746,205	364,134	25,258	62,091	10,608,931
1962	4,016,635	3,013,447	1,550,370	999,693	765,715	369,403	26,284	68,824	10,810,371
1963	4,086,293	3,080,215	1,571,982	1,020,174	784,107	373,640	28,822	77,578	11,022,811

(a) Census results.

ESTIMATED MEAN POPULATION.

Year.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Nor. Terr.	A.C.T.	Australia.
YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE.									
1960	3,796,452	2,819,650	1,478,129	933,619	717,316	344,111	24,573	50,013	10,163,863
1961	3,875,921	2,893,417	1,503,703	957,136	729,770	350,077	25,673	55,232	10,390,929
1962	3,948,380	2,959,167	1,526,959	980,108	745,805	356,686	26,566	62,433	10,606,104
1963	4,015,463	3,021,792	1,551,304	998,971	764,426	362,111	27,604	69,217	10,810,888
1964	4,086,489	3,090,956	1,573,410	1,020,098	782,203	366,187	30,061	77,229	11,026,633
YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER.									
1959	3,762,339	2,783,951	1,464,469	921,106	711,737	341,423	23,623	46,618	10,055,266
1960	3,834,085	2,857,032	1,491,114	944,861	722,900	346,913	25,107	52,562	10,274,574
1961	3,914,718	2,927,526	1,515,516	969,630	737,386	353,613	26,243	58,792	10,503,424
1962	3,980,675	2,990,041	1,539,076	989,385	755,259	359,408	26,973	65,699	10,706,516
1963	4,050,987	3,055,162	1,562,456	1,008,862	773,235	364,280	28,668	73,348	10,916,998

INCREASE OF POPULATION.

State or Territory.	1959.	1960.	1961.	1962.	1963.	Year ended June—	
						1963.	1964.

NATURAL INCREASE (EXCESS OF BIRTHS OVER DEATHS).

New South Wales ..	45,617	46,953	51,844	48,578	46,839	46,990	44,506
Victoria ..	37,167	39,478	41,886	40,043	38,729	39,531	37,835
Queensland ..	23,250	22,843	23,881	22,508	22,659	22,471	21,702
South Australia ..	12,429	13,162	14,584	13,129	13,166	12,942	12,348
Western Australia ..	11,614	11,229	11,849	11,254	11,314	11,309	10,787
Tasmania ..	5,845	6,183	6,193	6,024	5,712	5,844	5,290
Northern Territory ..	672	643	750	780	698	785	693
Australian Capital Territory	1,170	1,371	1,538	1,602	1,678	1,532	1,692
Australia ..	137,764	141,862	151,025	143,918	140,795	141,404	134,853

TOTAL INCREASE.(a)

New South Wales ..	65,277	83,184	72,159	67,215	69,658	71,862	68,108
Victoria ..	66,264	76,861	62,500	62,657	66,768	64,260	75,229
Queensland ..	27,824	25,125	22,992	25,092	21,612	23,589	22,793
South Australia ..	26,444	22,525	23,733	18,938	20,481	19,605	22,625
Western Australia ..	11,495	12,342	15,172	19,510	18,392	18,034	17,406
Tasmania ..	7,451	4,620	8,165	5,269	4,237	4,383	3,246
Northern Territory ..	1,858	973	471	1,026	2,538	1,634	2,893
Australian Capital Territory	6,997	5,322	6,819	6,733	8,754	7,761	6,960
Australia ..	213,610	230,952	212,011	206,440	212,440	211,128	219,260

(a) Includes natural increase and net migration together with adjustments for differences disclosed by results of the Census of 30th June, 1961. For periods subsequent to the Census of 30th June, 1961 the inter-censal adjustment will not be known until after the next Census has been taken.

POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS—SUMMARY, AUSTRALIA

Period.	Marriages.	Births.	Deaths.	Natural Increase. (a)	Net Oversea Migration. (b)	Total Increase.	Population at End of Period.
Year—							
1954.. ..	71,229	202,256	81,805	120,451	68,207	cd187,250	9,089,936
1955.. ..	72,172	207,677	82,036	125,641	97,255	d221,889	9,311,825
1956.. ..	71,780	212,133	86,088	126,045	93,998	d219,046	9,530,871
1957.. ..	73,696	220,358	84,953	135,405	78,732	d203,216	9,744,087
1958.. ..	74,001	222,504	83,723	138,781	65,366	d203,271	9,947,358
1959.. ..	74,363	226,976	89,212	137,764	76,791	d213,610	10,160,988
1960.. ..	75,428	230,326	88,464	141,862	90,135	d230,952	10,391,920
1961.. ..	76,686	239,986	88,961	151,025	61,523	d212,011	10,603,931
1962.. ..	79,090	237,081	93,163	143,918	62,522	206,440	10,810,371
1963.. ..	80,916	235,689	94,894	140,795	71,645	212,440	11,022,811
Quarter ended—							
June, 1963 ..	20,939	58,253	22,732	35,521	11,253	46,774	10,916,249
September, 1963 ..	17,293	59,566	28,165	31,401	17,450	48,851	10,965,100
December, 1963 ..	21,124	57,771	23,381	34,390	23,321	57,711	11,022,811
March, 1964 ..	21,039	55,957	20,635	35,322	32,322	67,644	11,090,455
June, 1964 ..	22,864	59,259	25,519	33,740	11,314	45,054	11,135,509

(a) Excess of births over deaths. (b) Excess of arrivals over departures. (c) Includes natural increase and net overseas migration together with difference disclosed by the Census of 30th June, 1954. (d) Includes natural increase and net migration together with adjustments for differences disclosed by results of the Census of 30th June, 1961.

MARRIAGES, BIRTHS AND DEATHS.

State or Territory.	1959.	1960.	1961.	1962.	1963.	Six months ended June—	
						1963.	1964.

MARRIAGES—NUMBER.

New South Wales	28,201	29,328	29,773	30,360	30,999	16,519	16,739
Victoria.. ..	20,456	20,627	21,264	22,393	22,061	11,586	12,429
Queensland ..	10,581	10,227	10,392	10,642	11,431	5,843	5,828
South Australia ..	6,614	6,607	6,804	7,021	7,302	3,793	3,966
Western Australia ..	5,387	5,323	5,150	5,466	5,755	3,026	3,132
Tasmania ..	2,567	2,713	2,677	2,485	2,579	1,342	1,587
Northern Territory	205	208	207	243	260	127	91
Australian Capital Territory ..	352	395	419	480	529	263	283
Australia ..	74,363	75,428	76,686	79,090	80,916	42,499	44,055

DIVORCES.—Australia—1962, 7,265—1963: New South Wales, 3,304; Victoria, 1,626; Queensland, 919; South Australia, 703; Western Australia, 554; Tasmania, 261; Northern Territory, 38; Australian Capital Territory, 41; Australia, 7,446.

MARRIAGE RATES—PER 1,000 OF MEAN POPULATION.

New South Wales	7.50	7.65	7.61	7.63	7.65	8.19	8.16
Victoria.. ..	7.34	7.22	7.26	7.49	7.22	7.63	8.00
Queensland ..	7.23	6.86	6.86	6.91	7.32	7.51	7.38
South Australia ..	7.18	6.99	7.02	7.10	7.24	7.55	7.73
Western Australia ..	7.57	7.36	6.98	7.24	7.44	7.87	7.96
Tasmania ..	7.52	7.82	7.57	6.91	7.08	7.35	8.61
Northern Territory	8.68	8.28	7.89	9.01	9.07	9.13	5.95
Australian Capital Territory ..	7.55	7.51	7.13	7.31	7.21	7.39	7.17
Australia ..	7.40	7.34	7.30	7.39	7.41	7.82	7.95

BIRTHS—NUMBER.

New South Wales	80,866	81,983	86,392	85,439	84,065	42,444	41,194
Victoria.. ..	62,245	64,025	65,886	65,890	65,649	32,703	32,178
Queensland ..	35,599	35,213	36,637	35,690	35,934	18,456	17,941
South Australia ..	20,372	20,966	22,399	21,361	21,367	10,365	10,009
Western Australia	17,111	16,926	17,078	17,064	17,290	8,656	8,314
Tasmania ..	8,625	8,853	8,982	8,894	8,530	4,309	4,120
Northern Territory	796	777	878	924	859	491	495
Australian Capital Territory ..	1,362	1,583	1,734	1,819	1,995	928	965
Australia ..	226,976	230,326	239,986	237,081	235,689	118,352	115,216

Marriages, Births and Deaths—*continued.*

State or Territory.	1959.	1960.	1961.	1962.	1963.	Six months ended June—	
						1963.	1964.

BIRTH RATES—PER 1,000 OF MEAN POPULATION.

New South Wales	21.49	21.38	22.07	21.46	20.75	21.04	20.07
Victoria.. ..	22.36	22.41	22.51	22.04	21.49	21.54	20.70
Queensland ..	24.31	23.62	24.17	23.19	23.00	23.71	22.72
South Australia ..	22.12	22.19	23.10	21.59	21.18	20.64	19.50
Western Australia	24.04	23.41	23.16	22.59	22.36	22.52	21.14
Tasmania ..	25.26	25.52	25.40	24.75	23.42	23.61	22.35
Northern Territory	33.70	30.95	33.46	34.26	29.96	35.31	32.39
Australian Capital Territory ..	29.22	30.12	29.49	27.69	27.20	26.09	24.45
Australia ..	22.57	22.42	22.85	22.14	21.59	21.79	20.79

DEATHS—NUMBER.

New South Wales	35,249	35,030	35,048	36,861	37,226	17,188	18,271
Victoria.. ..	25,078	24,547	24,500	25,847	26,920	12,070	12,439
Queensland ..	12,349	12,370	12,756	13,182	13,275	6,222	6,664
South Australia ..	7,943	7,804	7,815	8,232	8,201	3,586	4,048
Western Australia	5,497	5,697	5,729	5,810	5,976	2,704	2,889
Tasmania ..	2,780	2,670	2,789	2,870	2,818	1,345	1,578
Northern Territory	124	134	128	144	161	70	79
Australian Capital Territory ..	192	212	196	217	317	163	186
Australia ..	89,212	88,464	88,961	93,163	94,894	43,348	46,154

DEATH RATES—PER 1,000 OF MEAN POPULATION.

New South Wales	9.37	9.14	8.95	9.26	9.19	8.52	8.90
Victoria.. ..	9.01	8.59	8.37	8.64	8.81	7.95	8.00
Queensland ..	8.43	8.30	8.42	8.56	8.50	7.99	8.44
South Australia ..	8.62	8.26	8.06	8.32	8.13	7.14	7.89
Western Australia	7.72	7.88	7.77	7.69	7.73	7.03	7.34
Tasmania ..	8.14	7.70	7.89	7.99	7.74	7.37	8.56
Northern Territory	5.25	5.34	4.88	5.34	5.62	5.03	5.17
Australian Capital Territory ..	4.12	4.03	3.33	3.30	4.32	4.58	4.71
Australia ..	8.87	8.61	8.47	8.70	8.69	7.98	8.33

Marriages, Births and Deaths—continued.

State or Territory.	1959.	1960.	1961.	1962.	1963.	Six months ended June—	
						1963.	1964.

DEATHS UNDER ONE YEAR OF AGE(a)—NUMBER.

New South Wales	1,832	1,735	1,800	1,825	1,673	844	857
Victoria.. ..	1,320	1,182	1,173	1,219	1,242	591	510
Queensland ..	721	740	733	754	722	383	338
South Australia ..	422	397	448	409	399	201	183
Western Australia	345	366	336	380	353	r173	168
Tasmania ..	202	169	151	184	153	75	87
Northern Territory	31	26	21	37	27	15	14
Australian Capital Territory ..	16	28	27	32	38	18	20
Australia ..	4,889	4,643	4,689	4,840	4,607	r2,300	2,177

(a) Included in total number of deaths as shown on page 4.

INFANT MORTALITY—RATE PER 1,000 LIVE BIRTHS.

New South Wales	22.65	21.16	20.84	21.36	19.90	19.89	20.80
Victoria.. ..	21.21	18.46	17.80	18.50	18.92	18.07	15.85
Queensland ..	20.25	21.01	20.01	21.13	20.09	20.75	18.84
South Australia ..	20.71	18.94	20.00	19.15	18.67	19.39	18.28
Western Australia	20.16	21.62	19.67	22.27	20.42	19.99	20.21
Tasmania ..	23.42	19.09	16.81	20.69	17.94	17.41	21.12
Northern Territory	38.94	33.46	23.92	40.04	31.43	30.55	28.28
Australian Capital Territory ..	11.75	17.69	15.57	17.59	19.05	19.40	20.73
Australia ..	21.54	20.16	19.54	20.41	19.55	19.43	18.89

OVERSEA MIGRATION(a)—AUSTRALIA.

Period.	Total Arrivals.			Total Departures.			Excess of Arrivals over Departures.
	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	
1936-40(b) ..	161,774	159,538	321,312	140,901	137,283	278,184	43,128
1941-45(b) ..	35,422	28,503	63,925	30,097	26,019	56,116	7,809
1946-50(b) ..	398,507	303,413	701,920	180,779	168,057	348,836	353,084
1951-55 ..	581,300	446,566	1,027,866	340,819	273,223	614,042	413,824
1956-60 ..	695,445	568,652	1,264,097	481,235	377,840	859,075	405,022
1959	139,941	113,955	253,896	98,917	78,188	177,105	76,791
1960	169,579	129,582	299,161	116,857	92,169	209,026	90,135
1961	170,404	142,686	313,090	141,349	110,218	251,567	61,523
1962	180,732	151,592	332,324	152,112	117,690	269,802	62,522
1963	211,430	169,297	380,727	175,211	133,871	309,082	71,645
Quarter ended—							
June, 1963 ..	49,192	37,978	87,170	43,086	32,831	75,917	11,253
September, 1963	49,093	38,262	87,355	40,535	29,370	69,905	17,450
December, 1963	57,955	48,592	106,547	47,597	35,629	83,226	23,321
March, 1964 ..	65,463	52,017	117,480	47,329	37,829	85,158	32,322
June, 1964 ..	57,343	44,178	101,521	51,091	39,116	90,207	11,314
September, 1964	57,440	43,996	101,436	45,808	33,012	78,820	22,616

(a) This table relates to total overseas movement irrespective of length of stay.
troop movements September, 1939, to June, 1947.

(b) Excludes

OVERSEA ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES—CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO STATED PURPOSE OF TRAVEL—AUSTRALIA.

ARRIVALS.

Period.	Permanent Movement. (a)	Long-term Movement. (b)		Total Permanent and Long-term Movement.	Short-term Movement. (c)		Total Movement.
	Settlers Arriving.	Residents Returning.	Visitors Arriving.		Residents Returning.	Visitors Arriving.	Total Arrivals.
1960	110,079	16,495	12,797	139,371	75,167	84,623	299,161
1961	95,407	18,602	13,577	127,586	86,208	99,296	313,090
1962	90,464	20,580	13,941	124,985	95,915	111,424	332,324
1963	108,150	22,205	13,813	144,168	111,182	125,377	380,727
Quarter ended—							
June, 1963 ..	30,843	4,395	2,856	38,094	22,121	26,955	87,170
September, 1963 ..	22,996	5,183	2,915	31,094	23,711	27,550	87,355
December, 1963 ..	26,096	6,969	3,169	36,234	32,247	38,066	106,547
March, 1964 ..	35,347	5,994	4,820	46,161	33,782	37,537	117,480
June, 1964 ..	37,879	4,920	3,266	46,065	24,991	30,465	101,521
September, 1964 ..	25,621	5,111	3,378	34,110	33,456	33,870	101,436

DEPARTURES.

Period.	Permanent Movement.(a)		Long-term Movement.(b)		Total Permanent and Long-term Movement.	Short-term Movement.(c)		Total Movement.
	Former Settlers Departing.(d)	Other Residents Departing.	Residents Departing.	Visitors Departing.		Residents Departing.	Visitors Departing.	Total Departures.
1960	5,551	5,302	25,331	10,411	46,595	77,761	84,670	209,026
1961	8,240	6,537	32,157	12,213	59,147	89,880	102,540	251,567
1962	8,518	6,911	31,781	13,137	60,347	95,872	113,583	269,802
1963	9,102	7,176	38,317	12,729	67,324	112,427	129,331	309,082
Quarter ended—								
June, 1963 ..	1,670	1,622	8,634	2,787	14,713	30,072	31,132	75,917
September, 1963 ..	2,563	1,874	9,525	3,148	17,110	24,081	28,714	69,905
December, 1963 ..	2,557	1,796	9,730	3,346	17,429	31,071	34,726	83,226
March, 1964 ..	1,735	1,706	10,095	2,761	16,297	29,352	39,509	85,158
June, 1964 ..	1,804	1,852	10,581	3,070	17,307	37,144	35,756	90,207
September, 1964 ..	1,867	1,678	9,725	3,304	16,574	28,950	33,296	78,820

(a) Permanent movement—persons arriving with stated intent to settle permanently in Australia, and residents departing with stated intent to reside permanently abroad. (b) Long-term movement—arrival of visitors and temporary departure of residents with stated intent to stay (in Australia or in a country abroad respectively) for twelve months or more, and the departure of visitors and return of residents who have stayed (in Australia or in a country abroad respectively) for twelve months or more. (c) Short-term movement—all other movement, including the movement of Australian troops irrespective of period of stay. (d) Excludes persons who stated on departure that they had come to Australia to settle and had stayed for a period of less than twelve months.

**OVERSEA ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES: PERMANENT MOVEMENT^(a) CLASSIFIED
ACCORDING TO NATIONALITY AND MODE OF TRANSPORT—AUSTRALIA.**

Nationality and Mode of Transport.	Arrivals.				Departures.			
	1961.	1962.	1963.	Six months ended June, 1964.	1961.	1962.	1963.	Six months ended June, 1964.

NATIONALITY.

British—								
Country of Citizenship—								
Australia ..	1,223	1,252	1,579	786	3,977	4,170	4,913	2,716
Canada ..	764	597	663	323	80	65	183	145
Ireland ^(b) ..	684	580	771	505	187	148	190	71
India, Pakistan and Ceylon ..	535	562	604	379	40	52	40	16
New Zealand ..	1,131	1,138	1,527	974	388	514	487	256
South Africa ^(b) ..	1,177	543	393	231	27	49	45	42
United Kingdom and Colonies ^(c) ..	37,797	32,794	47,636	36,406	2,420	2,826	4,482	1,800
Other Countries ..	348	835	761	511	47	79	88	70
Citizenship Not Stated ..	2,719	3,744	9,978	4,284	4,403	3,632	1,634	417
Total British ..	46,378	42,045	63,917	44,399	11,569	11,535	12,062	5,533
American (U.S.) ..	1,028	1,082	1,256	631	216	331	464	268
Austrian ..	1,052	428	644	425	164	235	212	70
Dutch ..	4,969	2,348	2,009	1,294	884	983	1,086	279
German ..	5,134	2,359	2,954	1,727	709	957	900	276
Greek ..	7,766	12,397	11,575	11,188	53	86	114	54
Italian ..	16,506	15,660	12,914	6,724	278	287	394	117
Polish ^(d) ..	1,425	1,052	827	515	58	74	69	27
Russian ^(e) ..	1,178	860	268	74	39	39	45	11
Spanish ..	1,400	3,968	2,111	298	5	28	48	34
Yugoslav ..	2,742	3,562	3,992	2,717	44	83	95	46
Stateless ^(f) ..	2,201	1,354	1,556	562	52	62	57	9
Other Nationalities ..	3,628	2,349	4,127	2,672	706	729	732	373
Grand Total ..	95,407	90,464	108,150	73,226	14,777	15,429	16,278	7,097

MODE OF TRANSPORT.

Sea ..	83,371	76,732	81,003	50,509	11,189	11,322	11,713	4,345
Air ..	12,036	13,732	27,147	22,717	3,588	4,107	4,565	2,752

- (a) See note (a) on page 6. (b) Included with British nationality for the purposes of this table.
(c) Includes Maltese. See table on page 8 for Malta—country of last or intended future residence.
(d) Includes Stateless who were formerly Polish. (e) Includes Stateless who were formerly Russian.
(f) Stateless, former nationality not stated, or other than Polish or Russian.

**OVERSEA ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES: PERMANENT MOVEMENT^(a) CLASSIFIED
ACCORDING TO COUNTRY OF LAST RESIDENCE (ARRIVALS) OR COUNTRY
OF INTENDED FUTURE RESIDENCE (DEPARTURES)^(b)—AUSTRALIA.**

Country of Last Residence (Arrivals) or Country of Intended Future Residence (Departures). ^(b)	Arrivals.				Departures.			
	1961.	1962.	1963.	Six months ended June, 1964.	1961.	1962.	1963.	Six months ended June, 1964.
Africa—								
Commonwealth Coun- tries	1,300	1,220	1,303	896	36	44	34	20
South Africa	1,758	701	470	296	64	124	144	141
United Arab Repub- lic—Egypt	281	601	1,750	970	1	3	2	9
Other	184	58	126	108	3	6	5	1
America—								
Canada	1,124	878	797	371	504	435	634	473
Other Commonwealth Countries	34	56	40	52	7	10	6	..
United States of America	1,245	1,274	1,464	711	908	1,186	1,410	748
Other	256	187	284	207	13	26	39	2
Asia—								
Hong Kong	271	456	304	149	72	108	100	45
India, Pakistan and Ceylon	702	750	799	485	59	88	70	31
Malaysia	602	410	636	247	120	176	168	105
Other Commonwealth Countries	367	620	539	316	14	21	21	6
China	1,179	1,013	335	141	1	4	18	1
Lebanon	517	472	562	410	12	21	14	11
Other	666	617	861	489	197	190	183	157
Europe—								
United Kingdom and Ireland	36,915	33,276	52,298	37,824	5,246	5,293	5,150	1,828
Malta	1,827	2,054	4,243	2,306	59	56	43	6
Other Commonwealth Countries	84	99	58	61	5	7	5	1
Austria	2,120	888	1,500	913	154	223	204	60
Belgium	567	693	454	185	13	13	60	53
France	413	201	537	347	80	79	78	27
Germany	5,207	3,052	3,219	1,939	704	919	910	266
Greece	7,556	11,912	10,734	10,581	55	76	129	66
Hungary	102	160	142	94	28	40	41	16
Italy	17,792	16,099	13,587	6,979	325	398	497	163
Netherlands	4,778	2,221	1,920	1,262	916	961	1,146	230
Poland	1,361	982	784	477	34	54	56	29
Spain	1,380	3,974	2,065	293	9	34	55	37
Switzerland	527	206	275	192	68	83	97	25
U.S.S.R.	107	53	47	32	53	40	44	9
Yugoslavia	1,558	2,987	3,098	2,030	31	57	84	37
Other	927	593	642	492	320	290	259	84
Oceania—								
New Zealand	1,463	1,426	1,980	1,218	3,479	3,163	3,204	1,619
Papua and New Guinea Other Commonwealth Countries	108	153	144	62	1,046	1,058	1,184	703
Other	110	97	128	75	107	125	162	73
Other	19	25	25	16	34	18	22	15
Grand Total ..	95,407	90,464	108,150	73,226	14,777	15,429	16,278	7,097

(a) See note (a) on page 6.

(b) For a period of one year or more.

**OVERSEA ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES: SHORT-TERM MOVEMENT—VISITORS
ARRIVING^(a) AND RESIDENTS DEPARTING^(b) CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO
STATED PURPOSE OF TRAVEL AND MODE OF TRANSPORT, AUSTRALIA.**

Stated Purpose of Travel and Mode of Transport.	Visitors Arriving. ^(a)				Residents Departing. ^(b)			
	1961.	1962.	1963.	Six months ended June, 1964.	1961.	1962.	1963.	Six months ended June, 1964.
Business—								
Sea	710	645	543	260	1,896	1,665	1,453	894
Air	16,295	18,322	21,287	12,793	16,426	18,864	22,248	13,274
Total	17,005	18,967	21,830	13,053	18,322	20,529	23,701	14,168
Holiday—								
Sea	12,658	12,521	11,769	5,291	36,284	34,927	36,512	23,019
Air	33,993	41,033	49,406	25,638	26,289	30,748	39,663	22,179
Total	46,651	53,554	61,175	30,929	62,573	65,675	76,175	45,198
Education—								
Sea	254	252	243	202	491	394	487	194
Air	3,865	4,368	5,999	4,638	929	987	1,221	779
Total	4,119	4,620	6,242	4,840	1,420	1,381	1,708	973
Other and Not Stated—								
Sea	1,144	1,462	1,175	857	3,199	2,244	2,601	1,373
Air	5,432	7,344	7,607	4,198	4,366	6,043	8,242	4,784
Total	6,576	8,806	8,782	5,055	7,565	8,287	10,843	6,157
Total—								
Sea	14,766	14,880	13,730	6,610	41,870	39,230	41,053	25,480
Air	59,585	71,067	84,299	47,287	48,010	56,642	71,374	41,016
Total	74,351	85,947	98,029	53,877	89,880	95,872	112,427	66,496
In Transit ^(c) —								
Sea	5,133	4,285	4,336	1,900	..	..	..	..
Air	19,812	21,192	23,012	12,225	..	..	..	..
Total	24,945	25,477	27,348	14,125	..	..	..	..
Total, including In Transit—								
Sea	19,899	19,165	18,066	8,510	41,870	39,230	41,053	25,480
Air	79,397	92,259	107,311	59,492	48,010	56,642	71,374	41,016
Total	99,296	111,424	125,377	68,002	89,880	95,872	112,427	66,496

(a) Persons arriving who state they intend to reside in Australia for a period of less than one year.

(b) Persons departing who state they intend to reside abroad for a period of less than one year, together with Australian troops irrespective of length of intended residence.

(c) Excludes "through" passengers who do not change ship or aircraft.

**OVERSEA ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES: SHORT-TERM MOVEMENT—VISITORS
ARRIVING^(a) AND RESIDENTS DEPARTING^(b) CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO
COUNTRY OF RESIDENCE^(c) (ARRIVALS) OR COUNTRY OF DISEM-
BARKATION^(d) (DEPARTURES), AUSTRALIA.**

Country of Residence ^(c) (Arrivals) and Country of Dis- embarkation ^(d) (De- partures).	Visitors Arriving ^(a) (Excluding In Transit Travellers.)				Residents Departing ^(b)			
	1961.	1962.	1963.	Six months ended June, 1964.	1961.	1962.	1963.	Six months ended June, 1964.
Africa—								
Commonwealth Coun- tries	527	828	714	359	87	88	63	54
South Africa	605	667	769	418	395	426	597	356
Other	156	173	195	88	217	219	273	207
America—								
Canada	1,850	2,172	2,174	1,148	1,360	829	1,198	474
Other Commonwealth Countries	69	111	117	34	11	19	28	25
United States								
America—excl. Hawaii	10,760	12,447	14,826	8,810	3,944	4,587	4,969	3,153
Hawaii					3,333	4,395	4,904	3,200
Other	298	354	366	180	24	39	91	20
Asia—								
Ceylon, India, Pakistan	897	1,043	1,030	564	1,301	1,470	1,530	709
Hong Kong	1,225	1,251	1,516	1,009	3,683	4,198	5,358	3,467
Malaysia	2,529	2,890	3,320	2,100	7,913	7,810	10,811	5,793
Other Commonwealth Countries	231	283	356	138	15	21	24	17
Japan	1,377	1,269	1,832	1,362	3,166	3,348	3,756	2,134
Other	2,189	2,627	2,617	1,515	2,502	3,234	3,552	2,366
Europe—								
United Kingdom and Ireland	9,048	11,122	12,144	6,598	14,767	14,166	14,034	10,172
Other Commonwealth Countries	31	61	72	28	329	289	265	130
Italy	520	589	692	319	7,972	8,772	10,149	7,325
Netherlands	1,296	1,527	1,374	741	1,261	1,146	1,397	716
Other	2,585	3,582	4,181	2,198	3,128	2,806	3,018	1,653
Oceania—								
Fiji	1,643	1,598	1,613	926	2,386	2,859	4,099	2,314
New Zealand	25,622	28,820	33,786	17,869	22,656	24,710	29,416	15,832
Papua and New Guinea	8,571	10,096	11,595	5,985	6,284	6,697	8,445	4,565
Other Commonwealth Countries	1,008	1,000	1,049	628	1,185	1,589	1,901	958
Other	1,314	1,437	1,691	860	1,961	2,155	2,549	856
Total ..	74,351	85,947	98,029	53,877	89,880	95,872	112,427	66,496

(a) See note (a) on page 9. (b) See note (b) on page 9. (c) For a period of one year or more.
(d) Country of intended disembarkation from the particular ship or aircraft which takes the passenger from Australia.

**OVERSEA ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES: SHORT-TERM MOVEMENT—VISITORS
ARRIVING^(a) AND RESIDENTS DEPARTING^(b) CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO
INTENDED LENGTH OF STAY, AUSTRALIA.**

Intended Length of Stay. (c)	Visitors Arriving ^(a) (Excluding In Transit Travellers.)				Residents Departing ^(b)			
	1961.	1962.	1963.	Six months ended June, 1964.	1961.	1962.	1963.	Six months ended June, 1964.
Under 1 week	5,741	6,787	9,119	5,086	3,178	3,958	4,467	2,412
1 week and under 2 weeks	8,027	10,653	13,208	8,103	4,291	5,045	7,039	3,725
2 weeks and under 3 weeks	9,395	12,118	15,542	9,116	6,789	7,679	11,006	6,493
3 weeks and under 1 month	6,127	7,526	7,666	4,340	5,715	6,462	8,025	4,232
1 month and under 2 months	14,280	15,402	16,289	7,759	14,168	16,026	18,806	9,067
2 months and under 3 months	7,386	8,143	8,472	4,071	10,110	10,139	11,458	5,672
3 months and under 4 months	7,509	8,804	9,176	4,426	8,346	9,097	9,497	5,299
4 months and under 6 months	3,205	3,317	3,246	1,560	6,652	6,796	6,998	5,566
6 months and under 12 months	8,054	8,404	9,912	6,517	19,942	18,923	20,514	14,091
Indefinite, not stated, etc.	4,627	4,793	5,399	2,899	10,689	11,747	14,617	9,339
Total ..	74,351	85,947	98,029	53,877	89,880	95,872	112,427	66,496

(a) See note (a) on page 9. (b) See note (b) on page 9. (c) In Australia in the case of Visitors Arriving; abroad, in the case of Residents Departing.

SECTION II.—PRIMARY AND SECONDARY INDUSTRIES.
WHEAT FOR GRAIN—AREA, PRODUCTION AND YIELD PER ACRE.

Season.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	A.C.T.	Australia.
AREA. (^{'000} Acres.)								
1959-60 ..	3,950	2,261	683	1,549	3,719	8	2	12,172
1960-61 ..	4,076	2,672	693	1,969	4,021	7	1	13,439
1961-62 ..	4,498	2,849	750	2,229	4,380	16	1	14,723
1962-63 ..	5,008	3,125	919	2,595	4,804	15	3	16,469
1963-64p..	4,964	3,109	938	2,802	4,640	18	3	16,474

PRODUCTION. (^{'000} Bushels.)								
1959-60 ..	75,358	38,793	13,522	11,929	58,670	182	47	198,501
1960-61 ..	84,657	67,587	10,999	46,395	63,900	148	30	273,716
1961-62 ..	78,350	56,879	12,018	33,854	65,700	345	32	247,178
1962-63 ..	109,002	67,899	18,683	38,339	72,500	419	70	306,912
1963-64p..	122,472	76,302	22,275	53,971	52,340	483	69	327,912

YIELD PER ACRE. (Bushels.)								
1959-60 ..	19.1	17.2	19.8	7.7	15.8	22.0	26.8	16.3
1960-61 ..	20.8	25.3	15.9	23.6	15.9	21.4	28.5	20.4
1961-62 ..	17.4	20.0	16.0	15.2	15.0	22.2	22.7	16.8
1962-63 ..	21.8	21.7	20.3	14.8	15.1	27.3	29.3	18.6
1963-64p..	24.7	24.5	23.8	19.3	11.3	27.5	24.6	19.9

TOTAL AREA OF WHEAT GROWN FOR ALL PURPOSES.
(^{'000} Acres.)

Season.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	A.C.T.	Australia.
1959-60 ..	4,109	2,303	749	1,605	3,795	12	2	12,575
1960-61 ..	4,276	2,708	795	2,027	4,077	11	1	13,895
1961-62 ..	4,744	2,880	820	2,270	4,434	20	1	15,169
1962-63 ..	5,242	3,162	981	2,645	4,860	16	3	16,909
1963-64p ..	5,151	3,138	1,002	2,849	4,679	19	3	16,841

OTHER PRINCIPAL CROPS—AUSTRALIA.

Season.	Grain.			Potatoes.	Hay.	Sugar-cane.		Total Area of Crops.
	Oats.	Barley.	Maize.			Cut for crushing.	Cane Sugar. (94 N.T.)	

AREA. (^{'000} Acres.)								
1959-60 ..	3,030	2,379	185	108	2,105	314	..	26,105
1960-61 ..	3,637	2,830	185	92	2,973	341	..	29,576
1961-62 ..	3,097	2,383	211	94	2,274	387	..	29,639
1962-63 ..	3,292	2,027	209	114	2,720	402	..	32,092
1963-64p ..	3,392	2,013	215	103	2,602	418	..	32,043

PRODUCTION.								
	^{'000} bush.	^{'000} bush.	^{'000} bush.	^{'000} tons.	^{'000} tons.	^{'000} tons.	^{'000} tons.	
1959-60 ..	46,841	34,179	6,725	579	3,177	9,002	1,288	..
1960-61 ..	76,107	67,970	6,245	451	5,079	9,166	1,383	..
1961-62 ..	55,130	41,504	7,307	526	3,693	9,577	1,383	..
1962-63 ..	68,809	39,579	7,457	667	4,717	12,736	1,850	..
1963-64p ..	68,234	43,395	6,748		4,369	12,118	1,651	..

NUMBER OF PRINCIPAL LIVESTOCK.

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At 31st March—	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania.	N. Terr. (a)	A.C.T.	Australia.
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HORSES.

1960 ..	204	81	234	30	41	11	38	1	640
1961 ..	192	65	224	27	40	9	40	1	598
1962 ..	168	61	217	25	40	9	41	1	562
1963 ..	166	58	212	25	39	8	38	1	547
1964 p ..	163	56	206	(b)	39	8	39	1	(c) 512

CATTLE.

1960 ..	3,841	2,624	7,012	500	1,030	375	1,110	11	16,503
1961 ..	4,242	2,864	7,004	561	1,100	394	1,154	13	17,332
1962 ..	4,399	3,156	7,098	660	1,218	425	1,063	14	18,033
1963 ..	4,569	3,225	7,233	679	1,298	444	1,087	14	18,549
1964 p ..	4,789	3,301	7,402	694	1,299	450	1,055	14	19,004

SHEEP.

1960 ..	71,000	26,597	23,332	14,025	16,412	3,494	15	299	155,174
1961 ..	68,087	26,620	22,135	14,952	17,152	3,439	16	278	152,679
1962 ..	69,498	27,533	22,125	16,415	18,314	3,531	10	286	157,712
1963 ..	70,021	27,472	22,811	15,737	18,727	3,570	9	279	158,626
1964 p ..	71,764	28,413	24,337	16,403	20,165	3,600	9	289	164,980

PIGS.

1960 ..	399	285	429	109	131	67	4	..	1,424
1961 ..	455	318	448	144	176	71	3	..	1,615
1962 ..	471	325	433	170	174	76	3	..	1,652
1963 ..	392	298	402	145	131	70	2	..	1,440
1964 p ..	391	322	388	153	128	83	3	..	1,468

(a) At 30th June.

(b) Not available.

(c) Incomplete; excludes South Australia.

PRODUCTION OF WOOL (GREASY BASIS).

('000 lb.)

Season.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania.	N. Terr.	A C.T.	Australia.
1958-59 ..	684,184	298,844	219,148	186,842	166,522	32,634	195	2,522	1,590,891
1959-60 ..	715,445	322,999	236,196	198,289	170,442	33,600	165	2,899	1,680,035
1960-61 ..	664,276	322,011	235,590	177,413	191,353	31,870	157	2,471	1,625,141
1961-62 ..	701,168	330,716	230,333	206,985	192,161	34,469	98	2,645	1,698,575
1962-63 ..	693,734	316,705	233,638	207,344	184,123	34,561	100	2,343	1,672,548
1963-64 p ..									1,781,700

RECEIPTS AND SALES OF WOOL BY WOOL SELLING BROKERS AND STOCKS OF UNSOLD WOOL HELD IN BROKERS' STORES.

(Source : National Council of Wool Selling Brokers of Australia)

Period.	Receipts of First Hand Wool into Store.	Sales.						Unsold Wool in Store at End of Period.
		Greasy.			Scoured.			
	bales (a)	Weight. '000 lb.	Value. £'000.	Av. Value. d. per lb.	Weight. '000 lb.	Value. £'000.	Av. Value. d. per lb.	bales (a)
1959-60 ..	4,925,606	1,478,865	356,058	57.78	10,425	3,371	77.61	178,341
1960-61 ..	4,715,343	1,435,520	311,401	52.06	10,289	3,079	71.82	202,850
1961-62 ..	4,798,351	1,489,251	335,868	54.13	8,859	2,722	73.74	187,683
1962-63 ..	4,692,797	1,454,925	357,452	58.96	7,785	2,244	69.17	162,963
1963-64 ..	4,995,980	1,532,337	445,013	69.70	6,290	2,270	86.59	210,866
Three months ended Sept.—								
1963 ..	1,764,850	273,716	71,595	62.78	1,857	642	83.00	1,054,053
1964 ..	1,704,484	277,864	71,041	61.36	1,139	389	82.09	1,012,903

(a) Bales of approximately 300 lb. weight.

PRODUCTION OF MILK AND MILK PRODUCTS.

Period.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania.	N. Terr.	A.C.T.	Australia.
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WHOLE MILK FOR ALL PURPOSES.

('000 gals.)

1959-60 ..	348,389	598,323	252,562	78,483	57,549	70,226	n.a.	969	1,406,501
1960-61 ..	319,410	596,706	212,749	87,030	58,544	63,858	n.a.	1,005	1,339,302
1961-62 ..	344,724	630,948	239,823	95,504	58,240	73,206	n.a.	1,117	1,443,562
1962-63 ..	324,113	670,788	245,067	95,378	56,029	78,518	n.a.	1,090	1,470,983
1963-64p ..	328,411	688,937	239,368	96,016	56,797	83,152	76	1,153	1,493,910
Three months ended Sept.—									
1963p ..	65,994	162,144	47,629	27,545	18,562	15,377	19	263	337,533
1964p ..	67,333	187,262	51,752	29,412	19,114	18,709	19	247	373,848

BUTTER (Factory and Farm).

(Tons.)

1959-60 ..	42,757	89,908	39,245	6,318	7,434	11,888	..	2	197,552
1960-61 ..	35,380	89,932	31,276	6,969	7,711	10,384	..	2	181,654
1961-62 ..	39,454	96,128	35,808	7,528	7,521	12,181	..	1	198,621
1962-63p ..	36,850	101,858	36,607	7,414	6,997	13,193	..	1	202,420
1963-64p ..	36,451	103,455	35,518	7,501	6,992	13,770	..	1	203,688
Three months ended Sept.—									
1963p ..	5,767	24,237	6,429	2,258	2,602	2,440	..	..	43,733
1964p ..	5,984	28,643	7,145	2,299	2,664	2,936	..	..	49,671

CHEESE (Factory and Farm).

(Tons.)

1959-60 ..	4,348	19,264	8,492	10,930	1,454	366	..	..	44,854
1960-61 ..	5,296	20,000	7,222	12,654	1,360	392	..	..	40,924
1961-62 ..	5,732	23,943	8,973	14,659	1,368	631	..	..	55,306
1962-63p ..	5,304	25,351	10,200	15,164	1,469	670	..	..	58,158
1963-64p ..	5,147	25,183	9,492	15,170	1,494	1,334	..	..	57,820
Three months ended Sept.—									
1963p ..	1,091	5,854	2,102	4,658	545	151	..	..	14,401
1964p ..	958	6,972	2,317	5,400	669	458	..	..	16,774

PRESERVED MILK PRODUCTS : AUSTRALIA.

Period.	Full Cream Milk Products.				Total Whole Milk Equivalent of Preserved Milk Products. (b)	Milk By-Products.			
	Condensed, Concentrated and Evaporated Full Cream Milk.		Powdered Full Cream Milk.	Infants' and Invalids' Foods. (a)		Condensed, Concentrated and Evaporated Skim Milk.	Powdered Skim Milk.	Powdered Butter-milk, etc., and Whey.	Casein.
	Sweetened.(c)	Unsweetened.(d)							
Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	'000 gals.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	
1959-60 ..	33,867	33,074	19,591	15,985	82,636	4,689	41,204	7,215	10,433
1960-61 ..	29,534	32,067	18,555	16,257	76,619	4,651	36,952	7,828	11,761
1961-62 ..	28,259	34,443	20,235	17,025	78,028	5,359	37,697	8,446	13,552
1962-63p ..	35,076	34,256	17,578	18,192	83,167	8,594	42,580	9,052	15,715
1963-64p ..	43,261	41,800	18,799	20,216	90,508	10,817	42,851	9,672	16,675
Three months ended Sept.—									
1963p ..	8,517	8,266	4,275	5,225	20,633	2,055	9,854	2,085	3,597
1964p ..	11,060	10,561	4,719	5,406	23,112	2,157	11,967	2,372	4,042

(a) Includes Malted Milk and Milk Sugar (Lactose). (b) i.e., the estimated quantity of whole milk used to produce preserved milk products. Quantities of milk used to produce two or more products (e.g., initially as full cream milk and subsequently as skim milk) are counted once only. (c) Includes "Coffee and Milk". (d) Includes (i) whole (10 per cent. butterfat or more), (ii) less than 10 per cent. butterfat, and (iii) liquid Ice-cream mix.

PRODUCTION OF MEAT (CARCASS WEIGHT).

(Tons.)

Period.	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	N. Terr.	A.C.T.	Australia.
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BEEF (including Veal).

1959-60	..	216,773	159,306	266,677	33,281	45,962	23,145	4,809	1,827	751,780
1960-61	..	168,045	125,626	246,860	26,647	41,972	16,894	5,506	1,217	632,767
1961-62	..	233,582	176,058	278,115	30,061	47,406	19,674	4,523	1,637	791,056
1962-63	..	263,054	213,908	313,786	36,420	55,934	23,694	5,061	2,080	913,937
1963-64p	..	281,879	219,140	323,126	38,798	64,471	25,672	9,414	2,230	969,730
Three months ended Sept.—										
1963p	..	69,728	49,611	106,736	8,763	18,948	6,353	3,279	577	263,995
1964p	..	68,713	59,705	101,270	9,219	15,108	7,196	3,508	527	265,246

MUTTON.

1959-60	..	102,396	151,133	31,210	42,114	32,627	10,105	111	731	370,427
1960-61	..	115,155	132,743	42,863	33,680	32,934	9,363	98	720	367,556
1961-62	..	107,821	152,117	35,287	33,587	28,248	10,066	65	793	367,984
1962-63	..	103,687	153,328	30,656	34,947	29,399	9,462	68	1,112	362,659
1963-64p	..	108,147	145,078	37,871	33,626	24,820	11,122	73	1,049	361,786
Three months ended Sept.—										
1963p	..	25,698	25,195	8,778	8,128	6,090	2,184	6	259	76,338
1964p	..	25,048	29,618	11,499	8,296	5,524	1,947	23	244	82,199

LAMB.

1959-60	..	82,204	72,386	4,676	20,646	11,758	10,675	..	561	202,906
1960-61	..	81,262	77,502	5,666	18,562	13,626	9,562	..	572	206,752
1961-62	..	89,023	77,605	5,052	21,803	14,449	10,163	..	634	218,729
1962-63	..	95,186	84,317	4,827	23,972	11,837	9,924	..	737	230,800
1963-64p	..	95,378	78,726	5,060	20,458	12,184	9,191	..	895	221,692
Three months ended Sept.—										
1963p	..	23,972	16,708	1,379	4,837	3,364	1,683	..	226	52,169
1964p	..	24,124	18,628	1,638	7,312	2,537	1,887	..	234	56,360

PIGMEAT.

1959-60	..	26,252	23,383	27,106	9,161	9,029	5,352	103	208	100,594
1960-61	..	29,048	25,550	27,289	9,574	10,550	5,057	150	240	107,458
1961-62	..	32,677	27,406	29,802	11,558	13,180	5,428	86	326	120,463
1962-63	..	30,253	25,086	29,619	11,810	11,731	5,461	69	328	114,387
1963-64p	..	28,818	25,160	29,275	11,162	9,945	5,934	92	308	110,694
Three months ended Sept.—										
1963p	..	7,121	5,421	7,146	2,891	2,852	988	24	108	26,551
1964p	..	7,570	6,291	8,824	3,206	2,507	1,290	23	26	29,737

TOTAL IN TERMS OF FRESH MEAT.

1959-60	..	427,625	406,208	329,669	105,202	99,376	49,277	5,023	3,327	1,425,707
1960-61	..	393,510	361,421	322,678	88,463	99,082	40,876	5,754	2,749	1,314,533
1961-62	..	463,103	433,186	348,256	97,009	103,283	45,331	4,674	3,390	1,498,232
1962-63	..	492,210	476,639	378,888	107,149	108,901	48,541	5,198	4,257	1,621,783
1963-64p	..	514,222	468,104	400,332	104,044	111,420	51,919	9,579	4,482	1,664,102
Three months ended Sept.—										
1963p	..	126,519	96,935	124,039	24,619	31,254	11,208	3,309	1,170	419,053
1964p	..	125,455	114,242	123,231	28,033	25,676	12,320	3,554	1,031	433,542

MINING AND QUARRYING—VALUE OF OUTPUT.(a)
(£'000.)

Industry and Year.	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	N. Terr.	Aust.
1962.								
Metal Mining—								
Gold Mining ..	7	473	231	1	14,148	..	926	15,786
Silver-Lead-Zinc Mining ..	17,494	..	(b)	4	14	(b)	..	40,564
Copper-Gold Mining ..	26	3	(b)	..	287	(b)	1,548	7,842
Tin Mining ..	211	8	1,107	..	334	1,220	35	2,915
Mineral Sands Mining ..	3,005	..	1,775	..	715	..	..	5,495
Other Metal Mining ..	81	16	(b)	4,571	2,277	(b)	2	7,524
Total Metal Mining	20,824	500	26,715	4,576	17,775	7,225	2,511	80,126
Fuel Mining—								
Black Coal Mining ..	47,034	316	8,143	1,449	1,981	616	..	59,539
Brown Coal Mining ..	..	7,841	..	..	..	..	..	7,841
Total Fuel Mining ..	47,034	8,157	8,143	1,449	1,981	616	..	67,380
Non-Metal (excl. Fuel) Mining(c) ..	3,235	1,968	751	3,873	1,960	357	13	12,157
Construction Material Quarrying(c) ..	8,871	9,383	1,490	5,489	1,529	705	(d) 439	27,906
Total All Mining and Quarrying(c) ..	79,964	(e) 20,008	37,099	15,387	23,245	8,903	(d) 2,963	187,569
Total—								
1961(c) ..	78,171	(e) 20,027	32,220	15,912	22,496	7,959	(d) 3,366	180,151
1960(c) ..	79,641	16,267	37,608	13,952	22,166	8,067	(d) 3,539	181,240
1959(c) ..	71,090	14,935	33,329	13,209	21,787	7,639	(d) 2,996	164,985
1958(c) ..	71,414	13,694	27,632	12,308	20,777	7,358	(d) 2,772	155,955

(a) Selling value at point of sale of mine or quarry product less transport costs from mine or quarry to point of sale (i.e. value of output at mine or quarry). (b) Not available for publication.
(c) Incomplete for some Non-Metal (excluding Fuel) Mining and for Construction Material Quarrying in some States. (d) Includes Australian Capital Territory. (e) Not comparable with 1960 or previous years owing to extension of coverage of quarrying activities.

MINE PRODUCTION OF PRINCIPAL MINERALS.

State or Territory and Year.	Principal Metallic Contents of Minerals Produced.							Coal.	
	Copper.	Gold.	Iron (a)	Lead.	Tin.	Tungsten (b)	Zinc.	Black.	Brown.
	tons.	'000 f.oz.	'000 tons	'000 tons	tons.	tons.	'000 tons	'000 tons	'000 tons.
March Quarter, 1964.p									
New South Wales	736	2	..	60	89	..	50	4,552	..
Victoria ..	2	6	..	..	4	..	..	9	4,212
Queensland ..	21,878	20	..	17	389	..	10	818	..
South Australia..	..	..	760	..	..	..	..	371	..
Western Australia	147	177	215	..	83	1	..	218	..
Tasmania ..	3,431	9	..	4	208	217	12	30	..
Nor. Territory ..	2,148	19	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Australia..	28,342	233	975	81	773	218	72	5,998	4,212
Year, 1963.p									
New South Wales	3,863	11	..	328	250	..	266	18,941	..
Victoria ..	19	25	..	..	11	..	..	51	18,457
Queensland ..	82,428	68	..	67	1,161	..	37	3,244	..
South Australia..	5	..	2,718	..	..	..	..	1,512	..
Western Australia	1,889	803	839	..	392	..	..	901	..
Tasmania ..	16,805	36	..	15	1,005	960	48	208	..
Nor. Territory ..	7,737	80	..	..	33	..	..	..	..
Australia..	112,746	1,023	3,557	410	2,852	960	351	24,857	18,457
Australia—									
1962..	106,972	1,069	3,119	370	2,715	1,042	338	24,470	17,137
1961..	95,626	1,076	3,434	270	2,745	1,536	311	24,006	16,279
1960..	109,435	1,087	2,814	308	2,202	1,111	317	22,569	14,967
1959..	94,950	1,085	2,700	316	2,351	653	276	20,298	13,035

(a) Partly estimated. Excludes iron content of iron oxide not intended for metal extraction.
(b) In terms of WO₃ (tungstic oxide).

MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES—AUSTRALIA.

Year.	Factories.	Persons Em- ployed. (a)	Salaries and Wages Paid. (b)	Value of Power, Fuel, etc., Used. (c)	Value of Materials Used. (d)	Value of Pro- duction. (e)	Value of Output. (f)	Value of Plant, Machinery Land and Buildings. (g)
			£'000.	£'000.	£'000.	£'000.	£'000.	£'000.
1958-59 ..	54,888	1,088,256	970,553	164,252	2,485,079	1,842,601	4,491,932	2,056,284
1959-60 ..	56,657	1,131,677	1,086,359	180,815	2,767,999	2,074,882	5,023,696	2,283,916
1960-61 ..	57,782	1,144,732	1,143,836	189,244	2,858,100	2,169,804	5,217,148	2,585,080
1961-62 ..	58,450	1,120,666	1,142,519	191,765	2,855,386	2,194,938	5,242,089	2,928,625
1962-63 ..	59,146	1,166,858	1,222,466	202,229	3,129,920	2,396,013	5,728,162	3,144,207

(a) Average over whole year; includes working proprietors. (b) Excludes amounts drawn by working proprietors. (c) Includes water and lubricating oil. (d) Includes also containers, etc., tools replaced and repairs to plant. (e) Value added in process of manufacture (i.e. value of output less value of materials and fuel used). (f) Value of goods produced, including amounts received for work done. (g) Depreciated or book value at end of year, including estimated value of rented premises and machinery.

MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES—STATES.

Particulars.	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	Aust.
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1960-61.

Factories ..	23,585	17,173	5,882	5,042	4,334	1,766	57,782
Persons employed(a) ..	472,061	387,430	104,462	99,955	50,666	30,158	1,144,732
	£'000.	£'000.	£'000.	£'000.	£'000.	£'000.	£'000.
Salaries, wages paid(b) ..	490,016	387,221	92,159	98,983	45,127	30,330	1,143,836
Value of fuel, etc., used(c) ..	92,262	49,201	15,544	15,133	10,616	6,438	189,244
„ materials used(d) ..	1,236,484	897,166	305,677	216,383	133,323	69,067	2,858,100
„ production(e) ..	966,756	703,282	170,627	170,062	98,631	62,446	2,169,804
„ output(f) ..	2,295,502	1,649,649	491,848	401,628	240,570	137,951	5,217,148
„ land & buildings(g) ..	501,793	400,751	84,158	87,729	45,610	73,549	1,193,590
„ plant & mchnry(g) ..	607,281	417,918	132,569	113,100	64,306	56,316	1,391,490

1961-62.

Factories ..	23,629	17,300	5,824	5,519	4,418	1,760	58,450
Persons employed(a) ..	461,087	377,745	101,637	99,094	51,033	30,070	1,120,666
	£'000.	£'000.	£'000.	£'000.	£'000.	£'000.	£'000.
Salaries, wages paid(b) ..	488,070	384,433	93,345	99,531	46,420	30,720	1,142,519
Value of fuel, etc., used(c) ..	93,910	49,529	16,066	15,323	10,368	6,569	191,765
„ materials used(d) ..	1,223,667	907,804	305,003	212,561	135,084	71,267	2,855,386
„ production(e) ..	966,421	717,327	175,298	173,913	98,042	63,937	2,194,938
„ output(f) ..	2,283,998	1,674,660	496,367	401,797	243,494	141,773	5,242,089
„ land & buildings(g) ..	643,483	443,683	89,632	98,297	49,168	79,575	1,403,838
„ plant & mchnry(g) ..	670,635	467,887	137,251	126,503	61,716	60,795	1,524,787

1962-63.

Factories ..	23,729	17,500	5,895	5,766	4,492	1,764	59,146
Persons employed(a) ..	475,249	397,156	104,998	105,285	53,435	30,755	1,166,858
	£'000.	£'000.	£'000.	£'000.	£'000.	£'000.	£'000.
Salaries, wages paid(b) ..	513,608	418,550	97,916	110,033	49,940	32,419	1,222,466
Value of fuel, etc., used(c) ..	98,755	51,761	17,599	16,036	10,860	7,218	202,229
„ materials used(d) ..	1,314,824	988,886	356,864	251,430	139,878	78,038	3,129,920
„ production(e) ..	1,037,443	799,289	190,483	189,571	108,211	71,016	2,396,013
„ output(f) ..	2,451,022	1,839,936	564,946	457,037	258,949	156,272	5,728,162
„ land & buildings(g) ..	689,766	475,802	96,742	106,482	51,428	81,959	1,502,179
„ plant & mchnry(g) ..	719,191	500,344	140,292	146,804	66,318	69,079	1,642,028

For notes (a)–(g) see table above.

MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES.

Value of Production(a)—Australia.
(£'000.)

Class of Industry.	1959-60.	1960-61.	1961-62.	1962-63.
I. Treatment of Non-metalliferous Mine and Quarry Products	52,427	59,384	61,237	64,953
II. Bricks, Pottery, Glass, etc.	44,519	46,769	46,609	50,050
III. Chemicals, Dyes, Explosives, Paints, Oils, Grease	178,266	183,050	182,173	205,688
IV. Industrial Metals, Machines, Conveyances	849,092	895,343	884,749	978,945
V. Precious Metals, Jewellery, Plate	8,012	8,135	7,901	8,823
VI. Textiles and Textile Goods (not dress)	108,344	106,808	105,609	116,892
VII. Skins and Leather (not Clothing or Footwear)	18,940	18,031	18,597	20,130
VIII. Clothing (except Knitted)	118,847	123,611	126,176	133,168
IX. Food, Drink and Tobacco	260,068	271,245	297,730	318,458
X. Sawmills, Joinery, Boxes, etc., Wood Turning and Carving	97,689	97,998	94,084	95,178
XI. Furniture of Wood, Bedding, etc.	33,762	33,782	34,074	34,994
XII. Paper, Stationery, Printing, Book-binding, etc.	149,093	159,321	163,472	175,457
XIII. Rubber	32,138	34,925	34,287	39,161
XIV. Musical Instruments	1,926	1,929	2,064	2,181
XV. Miscellaneous Products	41,140	42,917	45,543	49,883
XVI. Heat, Light and Power	80,619	86,506	90,633	102,252
Total	2,074,882	2,169,804	2,194,938	2,396,013

(a) Value added in process of manufacture (i.e. value of output less value of materials and fuel used).

Average Amount of Salaries and Wages Paid per Employee.(a)
(£.)

Year.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	Aust.
1958-59—Males ..	1065.21	1052.69	926.77	992.28	905.12	1026.66	1031.05
Females ..	607.71	605.66	505.75	543.49	489.60	554.24	591.74
1959-60—Males ..	1145.65	1145.80	971.95	1088.21	950.85	1091.42	1111.86
Females ..	650.82	649.38	528.65	575.58	516.95	610.25	633.25
1960-61—Males ..	1204.20	1183.16	1006.38	1125.21	1005.06	1130.89	1158.72
Females ..	676.83	656.91	550.13	592.18	550.25	637.26	651.26
1961-62—Males ..	1221.02	1198.21	1046.51	1140.33	1026.38	1146.51	1177.70
Females ..	692.89	680.35	570.16	610.23	561.55	656.42	670.76
1962-63—Males ..	1249.71	1245.42	1063.34	1188.42	1054.65	1183.50	1212.51
Females ..	707.02	697.48	572.62	620.24	570.55	667.99	684.48

(a) Excludes working proprietors and amounts drawn by them.

Average Number of Males and Females Employed(a) over whole Year, 1962-63.

Sex.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	Aust.
Males	358,116	285,101	86,536	86,655	46,252	25,453	888,113
Females	117,133	112,055	18,462	18,610	7,183	5,302	278,745
Masculinity(b) ..	306	254	469	466	644	480	319

(a) Includes working proprietors.

(b) Number of males per 100 females.

PRODUCTION OF CERTAIN COMMODITIES—AUSTRALIA.

Item.	1961-62.	1962-63.	1963-64. p	Three months ended September—	
				1963.	1964.
Beer mill. gals.	242	249	(a) 270	(a) 61.1	(a) 66.0
Biscuits mill. lb.	180.0	185.2	197.9	61.1	54.4
Blankets thousand	1,688	1,847	2,188	499	537
Boots, Shoes and Sandals '000 pairs	25,214	26,687	28,229	7,891	8,402
Bricks, Clay million	992	1,059	1,240	308.5	348.5
Cement Building Sheets mill. sq. yds.	26.9	27.8	30.9	7.8	8.2
Cement, Portland '000 tons	2,783	2,942	3,322	819	930
Cloth, Woven, Woollen(b) mill. sq. yds.	25.0	28.2	23.6	5.8	5.9
Coal—Black '000 tons	24,427	24,301	26,718	6,900	7,066
Brown " " "	16,729	17,766	18,683	5,138	5,432
Confectionery—Chocolate mill. lb.	77.6	83.6	92.6	26.3	25.8
Other " " "	97.6	98.1	100.0	27.0	28.8
Copper, Refined '000 tons	63.8	rs5.7	90.9	24.3	23.6
Electricity mill kWh.	26,275	29,159	32,125	8,500	9,409
Electric Motors thousand	1,699.8	1,935.9	2,215.8	544.4	677.9
Engines, Internal Combustion(c) number	245,945	270,947	288,698	80,382	87,397
Fibrous Plaster Sheets '000 sq. yds.	15,332	15,830	15,363	4,036	3,917
Flour, Wheat '000 short tons	1,506	1,441	1,669	390	420
Fruit, Canned or Bottled mill. lb.	450.5	431.7	468.5	24.3	27.9
Gas(d) mill. cub. ft.	50,247	51,040	52,595	15,115	16,165
Gold, Refined(e) '000 fine oz.	1,036	1,006	911	236	210
Hosiery—Men's '000 doz. prs.	1,419	1,643	1,607	455	488
Women's " " "	3,039	3,633	3,979	1,085	1,183
Children's and Infants' " " "	902	899	934	257	285
Ice Cream '000 gals.	19,221	20,661	22,177	4,024	4,674
Iron and Steel(f)—Pig Iron '000 tons	3,380	3,400	3,763	964	1,061
Ingot Steel(g) " " "	4,076	4,260	4,755	1,225	1,336
Jam mill. lb.	98.3	92.2	88.4	20.4	22.7
Lacquers '000 gals.	1,310	1,443	1,514	366	399
Lead, Refined(h) '000 tons	174	209	217	58	48
Malt, All Types '000 bush.	10,360	10,535	11,994	2,734	3,106
Margarine—Table '000 tons	15.7	16.1	15.7	4.30	6.43
Other " " "	29.0	30.3	33.0	9.26	8.91
Meat, Canned " " "	52.3	42.5	44.3	10.9	14.5
Newsprint " " "	89.0	90.2	92.0	22.3	23.7
Paints, Ready Mixed and Enamels '000 imp. gals.	13,290	13,845	15,262	3,671	4,167
Refrigerators, Domestic thousand	204.6	201.8	207.1	58.0	58.5
Silver, Refined '000 fine oz.	6,682	8,452	9,380	2,145	2,012
Slippers '000 pr.	9,827	10,445	11,177	2,534	2,777
Soap '000 cwt.	1,176	1,191	1,205	292	296
Stoves, Cooking(i)—Electric thousand	76.0	101.7	119.0	29.4	37.4
Gas " " "	66.7	67.2	77.4	22.4	25.2
Solid Fuel " " "	28.8	26.9	28.1	8.7	7.6
Sugar, Refined '000 tons	553	564	575	142	153
Sulphate of Ammonia " " "	103.9	95.3	82.5	23.4	27.5
Sulphuric Acid (100%) " " "	1,136	1,256	1,429	296	362
Superphosphate " " "	2,591	2,862	3,347	695	872
Tiles, Roofing—Terracotta million	50.0	51.3	54.2	14.4	14.8
Cement " " "	53.2	60.5	76.7	18.6	23.6
Timber, Sawn Australian grown mill. sup. ft.	1,317	1,351	1,463	376	393
Tobacco, Cigars and Cigarettes mill. lb.	55.4	55.6	56.2	13.5	14.2
Vegetables—Canned or Bottled " " "	133.6	132.6	142.9	23.3	27.8
Quick Frozen " " "	47.2	47.8	49.8	2.46	1.85
Wool, Scoured " " "	r162	r168	160	39.5	36.9
Wool Tops " " "	r46.2	48.1	50.9	13.2	11.8
Yarn, Woollen and Worsted " " "	46.3	52.7	52.1	12.6	13.8
Zinc, Refined '000 tons	153.7	175.9	186.4	46.6	46.0

(a) Includes waste beer. (b) Includes mixture cloths predominantly wool. Excludes blanketing and rug material. (c) Petrol and diesel. Excludes motor car, motor cycle, truck, tractor, aeroplane and marine engines. (d) Made in gas works only. (e) New gold of Australian origin. (f) Year ended 31st May. (g) Includes recovery from scrap. (h) Includes lead content of lead alloys from primary sources but excludes lead-silver bullion produced for export. (i) Domestic. Excludes stoves, cookers, etc.

ESTIMATED NET VALUE OF PRODUCTION(a)—AUSTRALIA.

(PRIMARY INDUSTRIES AND FACTORIES.)

NOTE.—Depreciation and Maintenance Costs have not been deducted.

Industry.	1958-59.	1959-60.	1960-61.	1961-62.	1962-63.
Agriculture	328,943	291,951	391,861	366,503	415,207
Pastoral(b)	443,622	536,215	458,169	481,338	539,349
Dairying	141,944	152,193	142,131	136,497	153,679
Poultry	27,360	30,424	30,998	24,872	26,418
Bee-farming(c)	1,605	2,060	1,458	1,613	1,495
Total Rural	943,474	1,012,843	1,024,617	1,010,823	1,136,148
Trapping(c)	6,362	6,881	6,601	5,888	5,708
Forestry(c)	54,358	56,001	53,975	50,937	51,762
Fishing and Whaling(c)	11,243	12,325	12,813	14,204	15,311
Mining and Quarrying	118,336	126,155	139,027	137,245	145,514
Total Non-Rural	190,299	201,362	212,416	208,364	218,295
Total All Primary	1,133,773	1,214,205	1,237,033	1,219,187	1,354,443
Factories	1,842,601	2,074,882	2,169,804	2,194,938	2,396,013
Grand Total	2,976,374	3,289,087	3,406,837	3,414,125	3,750,456

NET VALUE OF PRODUCTION PER HEAD OF POPULATION.

(£)

Agriculture	33.0	28.7	37.7	34.6	38.4
Pastoral(b)	44.6	52.8	44.1	45.4	49.9
Dairying	14.2	15.0	13.7	12.9	14.2
Poultry	2.8	3.0	3.0	2.4	2.5
Bee-farming(c)	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1
Total Rural	94.8	99.7	98.6	95.4	105.1
Trapping(c)	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.5	0.5
Forestry(c)	5.5	5.5	5.1	4.8	4.8
Fishing and Whaling(c)	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.4	1.4
Mining and Quarrying	11.9	12.4	13.4	12.9	13.5
Total Non-Rural	19.2	19.8	20.4	19.6	20.2
Total All Primary	114.0	119.5	119.0	115.0	125.3
Factories	186.5	205.7	210.5	208.7	223.6
Grand Total	300.5	325.2	329.5	323.7	348.9

(a) Includes amounts paid as bounty, relief, etc. (b) Distributions of profits from the 1939-45 war-time wool disposals plan have been excluded, having been virtually completed by 30th June, 1959.
(c) Local value.

ESTIMATED NET VALUE OF PRODUCTION, (a) 1962-63.

(PRIMARY INDUSTRIES AND FACTORIES.)

NOTE.—Depreciation and Maintenance Costs have not been deducted.

Industry.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	Aust. (b)
TOTAL NET VALUE OF PRODUCTION. (£'000.)							
Agriculture	113,036	96,986	92,864	46,679	54,253	11,156	415,207
Pastoral	201,830	132,563	100,261	51,995	41,290	7,542	539,349
Dairying	51,950	55,067	24,611	9,879	4,507	7,506	153,679
Poultry	9,872	12,406	1,744	671	893	617	26,418
Bee-farming(c)	634	240	111	199	266	44	1,495
Total Rural	377,322	297,262	219,591	109,423	101,209	26,865	1,136,148
Trapping(c)	1,929	2,750	307	256	147	229	5,708
Forestry(c)	13,988	16,811	5,988	4,058	5,081	5,657	51,762
Fishing and Whaling(c)	3,800	1,624	1,922	1,473	5,564	885	15,311
Mining and Quarrying	62,609	16,197	29,003	13,207	16,122	6,117	145,514
Total Non-rural	82,326	37,382	37,220	18,994	26,914	12,888	218,295
Total All Primary	459,648	334,644	256,811	128,417	128,123	39,753	1,354,443
Factories	1,037,443	799,289	190,483	189,571	108,211	71,016	2,396,013
Grand Total	1,497,091	1,133,933	447,294	317,988	236,334	110,769	3,750,456

NET VALUE OF PRODUCTION PER HEAD OF POPULATION. (£)

Agriculture	28.2	32.1	59.9	46.7	71.0	30.8	38.4
Pastoral	50.3	43.9	64.6	52.0	54.0	20.8	49.9
Dairying	12.9	18.2	15.9	9.9	5.9	20.8	14.2
Poultry	2.5	4.1	1.1	0.7	1.2	1.7	2.5
Bee-farming(c)	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.1
Total Rural	94.0	98.4	141.6	109.5	132.4	74.2	105.1
Trapping(c)	0.5	0.9	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.6	0.5
Forestry(c)	3.5	5.5	3.8	4.1	6.6	15.6	4.8
Fishing and Whaling(c)	0.9	0.5	1.2	1.5	7.3	2.5	1.4
Mining and Quarrying	15.6	5.4	18.7	13.2	21.1	16.9	13.5
Total Non-rural	20.5	12.3	23.9	19.0	35.2	35.6	20.2
Total All Primary	114.5	110.7	165.5	128.5	167.6	109.8	125.3
Factories	258.4	264.5	122.8	189.8	141.6	196.1	223.6
Grand Total	372.9	375.2	288.3	318.3	309.2	305.9	348.9

(a) Includes amounts paid as bounty, relief, etc. (b) Includes Northern Territory (£5,466,000) and Australian Capital Territory (£1,581,000) for primary industries. (c) Local value.

INDEXES OF QUANTUM(a) OF FARM PRODUCTION.

(Base : Average 1936-37 to 1938-39=100.)

Year.	Agriculture.	Pastoral.	Farmyard and Dairying.	All Farming.	Wool (Shorn and Dead).	Products other than Wool.
1959-60	140	163	123	144	172	136
1960-61	177	152	120	152	165	148
1961-62	163	160	128	155	174	150
1962-63	191	163	129	166	170	165
1963-64p	195	171	130	172	183	169

(a) Indexes of value at constant prices, i.e. quantities revalued at average unit values of base years (1936-37 to 1938-39).

SECTION III.—BUILDING.

NUMBER OF NEW HOUSES AND FLATS.(a)

(INCLUDING OWNER-BUILT HOUSES.)

Period.	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'land.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
APPROVED.									
1959-60	41,811	29,065	12,472	9,328	6,447	2,732	440	1,542	103,837
1960-61	36,701	23,588	11,913	10,702	6,118	2,425	390	1,779	93,616
1961-62	32,640	21,405	10,752	8,536	6,883	2,644	471	1,460	84,791
1962-63	34,700	26,022	10,428	10,776	7,466	2,644	423	1,930	94,389
1963-64	43,484	32,042	12,583	13,744	9,277	2,813	612	1,869	116,424
Quarter ended—									
June, 1963	9,571	7,154	2,693	3,168	2,220	637	102	405	25,950
September, 1963	10,710	7,776	3,459	3,487	2,445	681	208	524	29,290
December, 1963	10,310	7,779	2,924	2,568	2,308	763	89	466	27,207
March, 1964	10,087	7,399	2,779	2,576	1,937	635	175	379	25,967
June, 1964	12,377	9,088	3,421	5,113	2,587	734	140	500	33,960
September, 1964	13,029	9,204	3,697	4,081	2,579	795	202	635	34,222
COMMENCED.									
1959-60	33,811	26,722	10,278	9,725	6,262	2,541	426	1,579	91,344
1960-61	35,232	23,189	10,351	9,839	6,051	2,377	415	1,435	88,889
1961-62	30,285	21,540	9,754	9,334	6,809	2,641	439	1,618	82,470
1962-63	31,875	24,473	9,726	10,293	7,098	2,567	382	1,855	88,269
1963-64	38,167	30,737	11,492	12,950	9,063	2,670	558	1,914	107,551
Quarter ended—									
June, 1963	7,849	6,447	2,630	2,569	2,073	696	68	417	22,749
September, 1963	9,240	7,260	2,950	3,497	2,427	606	94	534	26,608
December, 1963	8,978	7,483	2,602	2,890	2,093	679	173	515	25,413
March, 1964	9,918	7,319	2,905	3,234	2,161	722	148	400	26,807
June, 1964	10,031	8,675	3,035	3,329	2,382	663	143	465	28,723
September, 1964p	11,783	8,522	3,437	3,460	2,580	703	104	699	31,288
COMPLETED.									
1959-60	33,408	26,219	9,923	9,579	6,260	2,672	341	1,619	90,021
1960-61	36,397	26,277	10,603	10,263	6,413	2,662	403	1,447	94,465
1961-62	32,349	23,039	10,068	9,729	6,347	2,551	396	1,784	86,263
1962-63	31,344	24,100	9,799	10,332	7,235	2,601	491	1,845	87,747
1963-64	33,730	27,069	10,961	11,477	8,571	2,675	336	1,914	96,733
Quarter ended—									
June, 1963	7,753	6,623	2,404	2,785	1,755	714	125	585	22,744
September, 1963	7,758	6,016	2,641	2,798	1,875	609	88	577	22,362
December, 1963	8,581	7,523	2,728	3,170	2,354	753	122	512	25,743
March, 1964	8,433	6,079	2,613	2,494	2,095	625	80	391	22,810
June, 1964	8,958	7,451	2,979	3,015	2,247	688	46	434	25,818
September, 1964p	9,382	7,286	2,966	3,280	2,160	709	99	501	26,383
UNDER CONSTRUCTION AT END OF PERIOD.									
1959-60	18,501	18,409	3,716	5,749	3,529	1,957	262	1,354	53,477
1960-61	17,336	15,321	3,464	5,325	3,167	1,672	274	1,342	47,901
1961-62	15,272	13,822	3,150	4,930	3,629	1,762	367	1,176	44,108
1962-63	15,803	14,195	3,077	4,891	3,492	1,728	258	1,186	44,630
1963-64	20,240	17,863	3,608	6,364	3,984	1,723	480	1,186	55,448
Quarter ended—									
June, 1963	15,803	14,195	3,077	4,891	3,492	1,728	258	1,186	44,630
September, 1963	17,285	15,439	3,386	5,590	4,044	1,725	264	1,143	48,876
December, 1963	17,682	15,399	3,260	5,310	3,783	1,651	315	1,146	48,546
March, 1964	19,167	16,639	3,552	6,050	3,849	1,748	383	1,155	52,543
June, 1964	20,240	17,863	3,608	6,364	3,984	1,723	480	1,186	55,448
September, 1964p	22,641	19,099	4,079	6,544	4,404	1,717	485	1,384	60,353

(a) The number of flats included relate to individual living units. Only new flats are included, i.e., the conversions of old buildings into flats are omitted.

TOTAL NEW BUILDINGS : VALUE.
(INCLUDING ESTIMATED VALUE OF OWNER-BUILT HOUSES.)
(£'000.)

Period.	N.S.W. (a)	Vic.	Q'land.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
APPROVED.									
1959-60	192,802	160,644	55,112	46,784	31,766	18,700	3,641	13,031	522,430
1960-61	185,016	147,692	64,294	60,709	32,957	14,284	2,878	15,912	523,742
1961-62	185,848	139,311	56,188	49,760	36,411	17,932	3,729	18,684	507,863
1962-63	201,617	164,171	64,344	57,562	39,058	17,876	4,627	22,792	572,047
1963-64	234,972	196,464	83,621	77,687	57,860	15,949	5,494	21,688	693,735
Quarter ended—									
June, 1963 ..	52,129	45,163	18,876	14,925	10,867	5,578	1,444	8,625	157,607
September, 1963 ..	63,363	45,634	23,169	17,136	16,041	3,986	1,213	4,764	175,306
December, 1963 ..	50,667	42,515	19,691	19,566	15,347	3,800	1,141	3,946	156,673
March, 1964 ..	51,846	45,595	16,263	18,431	12,913	3,748	1,605	4,693	155,094
June, 1964 ..	69,096	60,213	24,498	22,554	13,559	4,415	1,535	8,285	204,155
September, 1964 ..	81,324	63,233	25,270	21,910	16,298	5,776	1,818	5,912	221,541
COMMENCED.									
1959-60	202,250	153,604	50,566	49,468	31,716	18,243	2,778	15,292	523,911
1960-61	213,737	155,376	57,820	57,923	33,282	14,140	4,434	15,307	552,019
1961-62	209,598	152,093	52,017	51,746	36,762	17,693	3,982	19,035	543,826
1962-63	218,334	158,241	62,326	55,858	40,959	17,306	4,123	20,310	577,457
1963-64	257,027	197,349	75,178	74,888	59,278	17,332	5,082	21,200	707,334
Quarter ended—									
June, 1963 ..	51,258	44,234	18,432	14,900	10,582	4,276	1,293	6,085	151,060
September, 1963 ..	57,715	45,075	20,062	18,313	16,643	4,902	1,106	6,388	170,204
December, 1963 ..	55,755	45,223	17,890	17,109	11,805	3,924	1,225	5,734	158,665
March, 1964 ..	71,065	44,564	18,026	20,529	15,765	4,320	1,496	5,128	180,893
June, 1964 ..	72,492	62,487	19,200	18,937	15,065	4,186	1,255	3,950	197,572
COMPLETED.									
1959-60	177,745	148,162	50,205	47,640	30,120	15,803	2,561	14,909	487,145
1960-61	209,186	163,152	59,304	53,866	36,025	17,014	3,118	13,155	554,820
1961-62	208,043	148,175	55,054	52,315	34,036	16,727	3,503	15,758	533,611
1962-63	205,763	166,784	56,347	60,560	43,214	17,064	4,436	19,062	573,230
1963-64	235,840	167,415	66,509	59,151	46,434	16,983	3,981	20,082	616,400
Quarter ended—									
June, 1963 ..	55,220	46,725	15,793	16,193	9,425	4,932	1,232	4,673	154,193
September, 1963 ..	51,304	41,518	14,061	13,747	11,006	4,147	1,328	7,335	144,446
December, 1963 ..	64,278	44,418	17,682	16,571	12,314	4,975	989	5,076	166,303
March, 1964 ..	62,398	38,927	15,858	12,377	11,715	3,790	806	3,694	149,565
June, 1964 ..	57,860	42,552	18,908	16,456	11,399	4,076	858	3,977	156,086
UNDER CONSTRUCTION AT END OF PERIOD.									
1959-60	146,819	127,773	30,620	36,822	23,331	15,591	1,998	15,502	398,456
1960-61	157,932	122,187	29,961	41,727	20,922	12,964	3,410	18,080	407,183
1961-62	167,408	128,296	28,448	41,508	24,503	13,888	3,928	21,825	429,804
1962-63	182,638	121,955	34,997	37,866	22,686	14,206	3,677	24,381	442,406
1963-64	206,601	153,139	43,944	55,757	35,924	14,547	4,885	26,024	540,821
Quarter ended—									
June, 1963 ..	182,638	121,955	34,997	37,866	22,686	14,206	3,677	24,381	442,406
September, 1963 ..	189,513	125,871	40,963	42,735	28,447	14,987	3,477	23,636	469,629
December, 1963 ..	182,148	127,253	41,263	43,051	28,055	13,959	3,720	24,431	463,880
March, 1964 ..	194,025	133,159	43,414	52,536	32,210	14,478	4,465	25,946	500,233
June, 1964 ..	206,601	153,139	43,944	55,757	35,924	14,547	4,885	26,024	540,821

(a) Major alterations and additions are excluded from "Approvals", but included in "Commenced" "Completed" and "Under Construction at end of Period".

VALUE OF WORK DONE ON NEW BUILDINGS.
(EXCLUDING WORK DONE ON OWNER-BUILT HOUSES.)
(£'000.)

Period.	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'land.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
1959-60	158,996	133,773	47,928	45,878	28,723	13,069	2,304	11,652	442,323
1960-61	194,137	149,355	53,120	49,848	31,500	14,307	3,326	13,248	508,841
1961-62	183,417	136,479	50,191	50,139	34,774	14,900	3,698	15,244	488,842
1962-63	196,949	145,423	54,406	56,083	38,156	14,600	3,706	20,233	529,556
1963-64	229,175	170,088	70,361	65,873	45,885	15,176	4,522	20,859	621,939
Quarter ended—									
June, 1963 ..	48,995	37,607	14,249	14,045	9,409	3,644	861	4,719	133,529
September, 1963 ..	54,693	42,026	16,356	16,210	10,692	4,306	1,160	5,272	150,715
December, 1963 ..	55,568	41,689	17,258	15,817	11,875	3,756	1,053	4,639	151,655
March, 1964 ..	58,556	39,644	17,448	15,833	10,844	3,328	1,041	4,864	151,558
June, 1964 ..	60,358	46,729	19,299	18,013	12,474	3,786	1,268	6,084	168,011

NUMBER OF NEW HOUSES AND FLATS COMPLETED.
(INCLUDING OWNER-BUILT HOUSES.)

Type of Building.	1959-60.	1960-61.	1961-62.	1962-63.	1963-64.
Houses—					
Brick, Brick Veneer, Concrete and Stone	33,003	35,786	34,990	40,194	47,754
Wood (Weatherboard, etc.)	26,857	24,764	20,896	19,212	16,678
Fibro Cement	21,314	19,830	17,776	16,083	16,358
Other	456	395	382	307	324
Total	81,630	80,775	74,044	75,796	81,114
Flats(a)	8,391	13,690	12,219	11,951	15,619
Total Houses and Flats	90,021	94,465	86,263	87,747	96,733

(a) Individual living units. Only new flats are included, i.e., the conversions of old buildings into flats are omitted.

VALUE OF NEW BUILDINGS COMPLETED.
(INCLUDING ESTIMATED VALUE OF OWNER-BUILT HOUSES.)
(£'000.)

Type of Building.	1959-60.	1960-61.	1961-62.	1962-63.	1963-64.
Houses	262,555	273,394	257,909	270,275	301,129
Flats	22,930	40,322	38,676	34,833	41,780
Hotels, Hostels, etc.	8,525	14,580	15,064	18,534	13,909
Shops	16,326	23,145	23,670	24,556	25,745
Factories	49,476	64,788	51,034	57,911	64,213
Offices	24,767	32,344	31,057	35,898	45,038
Other Business Premises	28,126	23,453	21,605	21,896	27,002
Education	32,227	35,318	41,343	42,777	40,286
Religious	6,458	7,159	7,260	8,452	6,999
Health	11,216	14,072	17,703	22,486	19,301
Entertainment and Recreation	8,622	9,749	11,622	16,891	13,303
Miscellaneous	15,917	16,496	16,668	18,721	17,695
Total	487,145	554,820	533,611	573,230	616,400

VALUE OF NEW BUILDINGS COMPLETED—STATES, ETC., YEAR ENDED JUNE, 1964.

(INCLUDING ESTIMATED VALUE OF OWNER-BUILT HOUSES.)
(£'000.)

Type of Building.	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'land.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
Houses	96,523	87,923	34,640	36,587	25,887	8,666	1,555	9,348	301,129
Flats	21,638	11,867	2,195	2,422	2,798	369	91	400	41,780
Hotels, Hostels, etc.	6,987	1,377	3,036	800	925	185	131	468	13,909
Shops	13,726	4,728	2,621	3,123	774	472	99	202	25,745
Factories	22,807	23,106	4,023	5,321	2,692	1,422	733	4,109	64,213
Offices	26,861	9,021	2,775	1,660	2,998	1,105	148	470	45,038
Other Business Premises	9,941	6,162	4,572	2,588	1,832	933	221	753	27,002
Education	14,052	10,698	4,533	3,399	3,113	1,727	243	2,521	40,286
Religious	2,934	1,766	816	648	592	119	20	104	6,999
Health	7,264	5,027	2,487	756	1,639	1,030	196	902	19,301
Entertainment and Recreation	8,180	2,310	586	505	1,022	443	94	163	13,303
Miscellaneous	4,927	3,430	4,225	1,342	2,162	517	450	642	17,695
Total	235,840	167,415	66,509	59,151	46,434	16,988	3,981	20,082	616,400

SECTION IV.—OVERSEA TRADE.

OVERSEA TRADE—STATES.

(£A'000 f.o.b. Port of Shipment.)

State or Territory.	1959-60.	1960-61.	1961-62.	1962-63.	1963-64. p	Three months ended September—	
						1963.p	1964.p
IMPORTS.							
New South Wales ..	414,646	479,484	412,910	476,943	518,730	125,674	150,333
Victoria ..	340,048	399,972	305,293	390,030	417,493	102,413	127,333
Queensland ..	50,858	61,278	48,861	67,116	80,846	17,949	23,808
South Australia ..	59,746	71,382	51,693	69,913	89,739	20,793	24,744
Western Australia ..	46,182	55,266	50,089	56,320	61,041	13,828	16,106
Tasmania ..	14,031	18,874	13,624	18,182	17,773	4,638	4,688
Northern Territory ..	1,485	1,206	2,084	1,192	1,469	281	490
Australian Capital Territory ..	95	115	192	1,639	868	119	665
Australia ..	927,091	1,087,577	884,746	1,081,335	1,187,959	285,695	348,167
EXPORTS.(a)							
New South Wales ..	281,165	282,125	322,762	310,828	401,086	87,549	90,198
Victoria ..	244,070	246,971	286,800	298,440	374,088	76,348	74,823
Queensland ..	181,322	164,073	172,443	202,500	272,469	82,007	80,527
South Australia ..	90,826	99,279	121,988	106,472	161,380	30,773	31,316
Western Australia ..	115,883	154,666	144,081	123,719	143,615	35,284	24,048
Tasmania ..	23,865	21,294	28,598	33,396	39,149	4,917	6,888
Northern Territory ..	551	435	612	545	1,238	314	654
Australian Capital Territory ..	..	..	..	6	1	1	..
Australia ..	937,682	968,843	1,077,284	1,075,906	1,393,026	317,193	308,454

OVERSEA TRADE—AUSTRALIA.

(f.o.b. Port of Shipment.)

Period.	Total Trade	Imports.	Exports.(a)			Value per Head of Population.				
			Aust. Produce.	Re-exports.	Total.	Total Trade.	Imports.	Exports.		
								Aust. Produce.	Re-exports.	Total.
	£A'000	£A'000	£A'000	£A'000	£A'000	£	£	£	£	£
1959-60 ..	1,864,773	927,091	919,688	17,994	937,682	183.4	91.2	90.4	1.8	92.2
1960-61 ..	2,056,420	1,087,577	942,606	26,237	968,843	197.9	104.7	90.7	2.5	93.2
1961-62 ..	1,962,030	884,746	1,050,724	26,560	1,077,284	185.0	83.4	99.1	2.5	101.6
1962-63 ..	2,157,241	1,081,335	1,052,909	22,997	1,075,906	198.6	99.5	97.0	2.1	99.1
1963-64p ..	2,580,985	1,187,959	1,365,233	27,793	1,393,026	236.4	108.8	125.1	2.5	127.6
Three months ended Sept.—										
1963p ..	602,888	285,695	310,208	6,985	317,193	55.3	26.2	28.4	0.7	29.1
1964p ..	656,621	348,167	300,829	7,625	308,454	59.0	31.3	27.0	0.7	27.7

(a) Excludes stores loaded in Australian ports on board overseas ships and aircraft, the values of which in £A'000 were: 1959-60, £10,884; 1959-60, £12,413; 1960-61, £14,205; 1961-62, £13,324; 1962-63, £12,937; and 1963-64 £15,383.

(£A'000 f.o.b. Port of Shipment.)

Period.	Imports.			Exports.			Excess of Exports (+) or Imports (-).		
	Merchandise.	Bullion and Specie.	Total.	Merchandise.	Bullion and Specie.	Total.	Merchandise.	Bullion and Specie.	Total.
1959-60 ..	924,528	2,563	927,091	925,959	11,723	937,682	+1,431	+9,160	+10,591
1960-61 ..	1,085,331	2,246	1,087,577	928,041	40,802	968,843	-157,290	+38,556	-118,734
1961-62 ..	882,546	2,200	884,746	1,067,885	9,399	1,077,284	+185,339	+7,199	+192,538
1962-63 ..	1,078,777	2,558	1,081,335	1,069,025	6,881	1,075,906	-9,752	+4,323	-5,429
1963-64p ..	1,185,567	2,392	1,187,959	1,382,953	10,073	1,393,026	+197,886	+7,681	+205,067
Three months ended September—									
1963p ..	284,944	751	285,695	314,606	2,587	317,193	+29,662	+1,836	+31,498
1964p ..	347,463	704	348,167	306,587	1,867	308,454	-40,876	+1,163	-39,713

CUSTOMS AND EXCISE REVENUE—AUSTRALIA

(£A'000.)

Statistical Class and Excise Division or Item.	1963-64.	Three months ended September—	
		1963 .p	1964 .p
GROSS CUSTOMS—			
1. Foodstuffs of animal origin	755	161	206
2. Foodstuffs of vegetable origin	2,621	667	433
3. Spirituous and alcoholic liquors	6,340	1,613	1,964
4. Tobacco, cigars, cigarettes and snuff	13,203	3,495	3,851
5. Live animals, incl. birds .. ..	..	..	..
6. Animal substances (mainly unmftd.) not foodstuffs	7	1	2
7. Vegetable substances and fibres	346	84	94
8a. Yarns and manufactured fibres	1,278	362	394
8b. Textiles	12,415	3,183	3,802
8c. Apparel	3,584	1,054	1,194
9. Oils, fats and waxes (a)	11,175	2,080	3,204
10. Pigments, paints and varnishes	403	61	121
11. Rocks, minerals and hydrocarbons	223	56	55
12a. Metals and metal manufactures	23,061	5,115	7,141
12b. Dynamo elect. machinery, elect. appliances, etc.	6,522	1,505	1,709
12c. Machines and machinery (except dynamo elect.)	14,021	3,357	4,071
13a. Rubber and rubber manufactures	1,419	301	444
13b. Leather and leather manufactures	449	94	128
14. Wood and wicker, raw and manufactured	2,218	486	777
15. Earthenware, cement, china, glass and stoneware	3,104	850	864
16a. Pulp, paper and board	1,849	434	464
16b. Paper manufactures and stationery	1,251	327	408
17. Sporting material, toys, jewellery, timepieces	3,833	1,301	1,428
18. Optical, surgical and scientific instruments, etc.	2,030	478	638
19. Chemicals, medicinal, pharm. products, etc.	3,491	833	980
20. Miscellaneous goods (incl. passengers' baggage, post office collections, ships' stores and furniture)	7,286	1,865	2,116
Sundry undistributed duties	350	56	79
Duties under Industrial Preservation Act	90	6	61
Total Customs	123,324	29,825	36,628
Primage	2,539	638	738
Total Gross Customs Revenue (a)	125,863	30,463	37,366
GROSS EXCISE—			
Beer	123,760	26,642	28,679
Spirits	9,161	2,549	2,992
Tobacco	9,366	2,506	2,153
Cigars and cigarettes	73,150	17,926	19,689
Petrol, etc. (a)	71,850	18,288	18,433
Playing cards	52	14	14
Cigarette papers and tubes	507	138	134
Matches	1,144	288	295
Canned fruit (b)	201	..	112
Coal	293	84	88
Other Excise	1,987	605	308
Total Gross Excise Revenue	291,471	69,040	72,897
Total Gross Customs and Excise Revenue	417,334	99,503	110,263
Refund and Drawbacks paid	9,864	2,289	3,054
Credit to Commonwealth Government Departments for duty paid a .. ..	..	..	177
Total Net Customs and Excise Revenue	407,470	97,214	107,032

(a) As from July, 1964 duty is included in the price of petroleum products purchased by Commonwealth Government departments and is subsequently credited by Commonwealth Treasury to the departments concerned. (b) Duty collected from 30th October, 1963.

VALUE OF COMMODITIES IMPORTED AND EXPORTED—AUSTRALIA.

TOTAL IMPORTS.

(\$A'000 f.o.b. Port of Shipment.)

Particulars.	1963-64.p	Three months ended September—	
		1963.p	1964.p
CLASS I.—FOODSTUFFS OF ANIMAL ORIGIN.			
Fish—			
Fresh or preserved by cold process	5,187	1,222	1,277
Preserved in airtight containers	4,683	481	759
Other	1,221	264	345
Sausage casings, natural	892	200	141
Other foodstuffs of animal origin	2,862	724	918
Total, Class I.	14,845	2,891	3,440
CLASS II.—FOODSTUFFS OF VEGETABLE ORIGIN AND NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES.			
Cocoa butter	1,592	313	354
Cocoa—beans, mass paste or slab	3,616	679	678
Coffee and chicory	5,065	1,088	1,149
Nuts, edible	2,445	592	994
Tea, incl. extracts	11,832	3,155	4,551
Vegetables, fresh or frozen	788	179	472
Other foodstuffs of vegetable origin	5,471	1,309	1,445
Total, Class II.	30,809	7,315	9,643
CLASS III.—SPIRITUOUS AND ALCOHOLIC LIQUORS.			
Whisky	3,664	961	660
Other spirituous and alcoholic liquors	910	204	218
Total, Class III.	4,574	1,165	878
CLASS IV.—TOBACCO.			
Cigarettes	1,538	315	281
Tobacco—Unmanufactured	10,565	2,500	1,910
Other	1,337	310	397
Total, Class IV.	13,440	3,125	2,588
CLASS V.—LIVE ANIMALS, INCLUDING BIRDS			
	964	244	234
CLASS VI.—ANIMAL SUBSTANCES, NOT FOODSTUFFS.			
Hides and skins	1,674	304	369
Wool	2,936	507	898
Other animal substances	2,422	574	728
Total, Class VI.	7,032	1,385	1,995
CLASS VII.—VEGETABLE SUBSTANCES AND FIBRES; CORK AND MANUFACTURES; AND MAN-MADE FIBRES.			
Copra	2,456	691	775
Fibres—			
Cotton, raw	8,309	1,939	2,427
Sisal	3,190	1,071	798
Synthetic (man-made) fibres and filaments	6,674	1,605	1,971
Other	1,866	416	637
Gums and resins	1,870	425	483
Seeds	2,323	435	519
Other vegetable substances	2,142	530	678
Total, Class VII.	28,830	7,112	8,288

Total Imports—continued.
(£A'000 f.o.b. Port of Shipment.)

Particulars.	1963-64.p	Three months ended September—	
		1963.p	1964.p
CLASS VIII.—YARNS AND MANUFACTURED FIBRES, TEXTILES AND APPAREL.			
(a) <i>Yarns and Manufactured Fibres—</i>			
Bags and sacks—			
Corn and flour	5,429	856	706
Woolpacks	2,748	1,117	1,034
Other	488	102	178
Sewing and other silk, cotton, etc. ..	1,102	387	395
Yarns—			
Cotton	2,419	757	699
Man-made fibre	10,532	2,634	3,997
Other	1,467	286	347
Other yarns and manufactured fibres ..	665	168	220
Total, Class VIII.(a)	24,850	6,307	7,576
(b) <i>Textiles—</i>			
Floor coverings	7,731	1,897	2,422
Articles of furnishing drapery and napery	2,532	860	975
Piece-goods—			
Cotton and linen, not impregnated ..	36,593	9,925	10,516
Jute, incl. hessians and brattice cloth	4,258	1,141	1,219
Man-made fibre	9,446	2,586	3,011
Silk	2,563	551	698
Velvets, velveteens, etc.	1,758	173	195
Wool or chiefly of wool	1,713	266	373
Other	4,408	710	1,361
Towels and towelling	1,168	371	349
Trimmings, excl. narrow fabrics ..	6,052	1,507	1,904
Other textiles	3,598	1,190	940
Total, Class VIII.(b)	81,820	21,177	23,963
(c) <i>Apparel—</i>			
Footwear	2,006	766	1,031
Garments—			
Knitted	2,155	356	401
Not knitted	1,506	392	471
Gloves	1,347	286	317
Hats and caps	1,301	422	379
Other apparel	2,695	717	791
Total, Class VIII.(c)	11,010	2,939	3,390
Total, Class VIII.	117,680	30,423	34,929
CLASS IX.—OILS, FATS AND WAXES.			
Fats, greases and waxes	2,090	477	538
Oils—			
Linseed	19	10	..
Olive	1,142	134	344

Total Imports—continued.
(£A'000 f.o.b. Port of Shipment.)

Particulars.	1963-64.p	Three months ended September—	
		1963.p	1964.p
CLASS IX.—OILS, FATS AND WAXES—continued.			
Oils—continued.			
Petroleum—			
Crudes, residuals, furnace, industrial, diesel, marine diesel fuels	89,672	22,755	22,941
Automotive distillate	766	164	683
Kerosene (incl. aviation turbine fuel) ..	3,950	1,386	1,176
Lubricating (mineral)	6,609	2,125	1,382
Spirit	14,728	2,073	3,350
Other	1,441	430	294
Other oils	6,079	1,515	1,411
Total, Class IX.	126,496	31,069	32,119
CLASS X.—PIGMENTS, PAINTS AND VARNISHES.			
Dyes, natural and synthetic, incl. lakes ..	3,758	807	1,007
Other	2,048	432	518
Total, Class X.	5,806	1,239	1,525
CLASS XI.—ROCKS, MINERALS AND HYDROCARBONS.			
Asbestos	2,311	557	559
Sulphur	2,733	743	992
Other rocks, minerals, etc.	6,745	1,922	2,080
Total, Class XI.	11,789	3,222	3,631
CLASS XII.—METALS, METAL MANUFACTURES AND MACHINERY.			
(a) Metals and Metal Manufacturing—			
Aluminium and aluminium-base alloys (excl. wire and cable)	1,977	873	344
Copper and copper-base alloys (excl. wire and cable)—			
Pigs, ingots and blocks	1,693	113	837
Other	931	290	530
Cutlery	3,963	917	1,278
Heating and cooking appliances	1,152	211	366
Iron and steel (incl. special ferro-alloys)—			
Bars, rods, hoop, ingots, etc.	8,385	1,815	2,931
Ferro-alloys (mainly in ingot form) ..	2,799	851	435
Pipes, tubes and fittings therefor ..	3,966	978	1,615
Plate and sheet—			
Tinned, plated, polished and decorated	692	90	172
Other	8,841	1,482	3,424
Leaf and foil	2,245	624	727
Meters and parts	1,974	488	536
Tin (ingots, etc., basic shapes, scrap) ..	1,579	420	277
Tools of trade	4,547	1,083	1,277

Total Imports—continued.
(£A'000 f.o.b. Port of Shipment.)

Particulars.	1963-64.p	Three months ended September—	
		1963.p	1964.p
CLASS XII.—METALS, METAL MANUFACTURES, AND MACHINERY—continued.			
<i>(a) Metals and Metal Manufactures—continued.</i>			
Vehicles—			
Aircraft and parts	19,572	4,402	7,214
Motor vehicles (excl. fire engines and forklift trucks)—			
Complete	15,652	2,805	5,702
Components, replacement parts, etc.	102,284	23,230	29,742
Other vehicles and parts	5,941	1,441	1,876
Wire, single strand	2,008	478	579
Wire Manufactures*	1,588	387	387
Other metals and semi-manufactures† ..	2,916	844	991
Other metal manufactures	23,726	5,578	7,186
Total, Class XII.(a)	218,431	49,400	68,426
<i>(b) Dynamo Electrical Machinery and Electrical Appliances and Equipment—</i>			
Cable and wire, insulated	2,454	371	850
Communication equipment, incl. radio and television	18,226	4,219	6,203
Dynamo electric machines—			
Electric motors	5,317	1,185	1,207
Other	3,306	922	910
Lamps, bulbs, tubes, etc.	3,142	776	766
Measuring and recording instruments ..	2,379	750	768
Protective equipment	1,830	444	457
Regulating, starting and controlling apparatus	8,322	1,846	1,917
Transformers and rectifiers	5,064	1,620	668
Other electrical machinery and appliances	8,952	2,327	2,723
Total, Class XII.(b)	58,992	14,460	16,469
<i>(c) Machines and Machinery (except Dynamo Electrical)—</i>			
Air and gas compressors	3,245	679	807
Agricultural, horticultural, etc., machinery	6,733	1,848	2,810
Cranes, hoists and other lifting machinery	1,911	341	620
Dairying machinery	1,099	378	374
Hand tools (power driven)	4,098	926	1,278
Household machines (excl. sewing and refrig.)	2,210	566	773
Metal-working machinery—			
Machine tools	9,139	2,096	3,722
Other	9,483	2,352	2,811
Motive power machinery—			
Aircraft engines and parts	3,213	445	1,890
Power boilers and parts	1,454	336	327
Tractors and parts	37,000	8,161	11,469
Turbines and parts	544	38	100
Other and parts	22,178	5,046	6,394
Office and accounting machines	18,247	3,935	6,751
Packaging machinery	1,238	346	492
Paper-making machinery	1,848	672	172
Paper-working machinery	1,724	333	518
Printing machinery	6,997	1,411	1,816
Pumps (machinery)	1,757	495	507

* For cable and wire, insulated, see (Class XII.(b)). † Includes all basic shapes, castings and forgings in the rough and pipes and tubes flexible or metal-cased.

Total Imports—continued.
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Particulars.	1963-64.p	Three months ended September—	
		1963.p	1964.p
CLASS XII.—METALS, METAL MANUFACTURES, AND MACHINERY—continued.			
(c) Machines and Machinery (except Dynamo Electrical)—continued.			
Refrigeration appl. incl. air-conditioners ..	2,373	561	585
Roller and ball bearings	6,050	1,367	1,970
Sewing machines	3,600	749	882
Stone-cutting, road-making and mining machinery	15,891	3,687	4,193
Textile-working machinery and appliances ..	6,652	1,445	2,049
Wood working machinery	759	164	216
Other machines and machinery	26,641	6,506	6,881
Total, Class XII.(c)	196,084	44,883	60,407
Total, Class XII.	473,507	108,743	145,302
CLASS XIII.—RUBBER AND LEATHER AND MANUFACTURES THEREOF.			
(a) Rubber and Rubber Manufactures—			
Rubber—			
Crude, waste and masticated (incl. crepe)	8,815	2,496	3,003
Substitutes	5,357	1,350	1,631
Rubber Manufactures—			
Elastics and rubber thread	1,098	262	297
Tyres and tubes	5,158	1,106	1,835
Other rubber manufactures	2,796	609	762
Total, Class XIII.(a)	23,224	5,823	7,528
(b) Leather and Leather Manufactures	2,355	501	744
Total, Class XIII.(b)	2,355	501	744
Total, Class XIII.	25,579	6,324	8,272
CLASS XIV.—WOOD AND WICKER.			
Manufactures of wood and wicker, including plywood, veneers and corestock			
Timber—	2,625	727	941
Dressed, bent or cut into shape	541	116	173
Undressed (incl. logs)	17,257	4,408	5,080
Bamboo and cane	146	41	31
Total, Class XIV.	20,569	5,292	6,225
CLASS XV.—EARTHENWARE, CEMENT, CHINA, GLASS AND STONEWARE.			
Crockery and other householdware	3,749	1,142	1,075
Glass, incl. fibreglass	5,537	1,386	1,494
Glassware	3,973	1,153	1,108
Tiles	2,953	709	737
Other earthenware, china, etc.	4,142	1,131	1,193
Total, Class XV.	20,354	5,521	5,607

Total Imports—continued.
(£A'000 f.o.b. Port of Shipment.)

Particulars.	1963-64.p	Three months ended September—	
		1963.p	1964.p
CLASS XVI.—PAPER AND STATIONERY.			
(a) <i>Pulp, Paper and Board—</i>			
Millboard and other boards	2,139	638	400
Paper—			
Printings—			
Newsprint	18,099	4,930	5,356
Other	4,672	1,319	1,032
Tissue and tissue cap(a)	98	14	48
Wrapping and bag papers	2,332	548	933
Writing and typewriting	1,239	323	246
Other	6,327	1,218	1,781
Pulp for manufacturing paper	11,699	3,358	3,855
Total, Class XVI.(a)	46,605	12,348	13,651
(b) <i>Paper Manufactures and Stationery—</i>			
(Books printed), directories, etc. ..	16,400	4,266	3,901
Pens and pencils	1,593	406	420
Other paper manufactures, stationery, etc.(b)	6,530	1,546	1,673
Total, Class XVI.(b)	24,523	6,218	5,994
Total, Class XVI.	71,128	18,566	19,645
CLASS XVII.—SPORTING MATERIAL, TOYS, FANCY GOODS, JEWELLERY AND TIMEPIECES.			
Fancy goods and smokers' requisites ..	2,200	742	831
Jewellery	3,672	976	1,166
Sporting material	1,509	451	541
Timepieces	4,002	1,018	1,393
Toys	3,608	1,513	1,678
Total, Class XVII.	14,991	4,700	5,609
CLASS XVIII.—OPTICAL, SURGICAL AND SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS AND APPLIANCES AND PHOTO- GRAPHIC GOODS, N.E.I.			
Cameras and accessories therefor	3,313	650	836
Cinematographs	673	180	213
Films for cinematographs	2,890	696	730
Photographic goods, n.e.i.	2,904	672	802
Scientific instruments, appliances and materials	11,860	2,699	3,366
Total, Class XVIII.	21,640	4,897	5,947

(a) Includes cigarette paper in 1962-63.

(b) Includes cigarette paper in 1963-64.

Total Imports—continued.

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Particulars.	1963-64.p	Three months ended September—	
		1963.p	1964.p
CLASS XIX.—CHEMICALS, MEDICINAL AND PHAR- MACEUTICAL PRODUCTS, ESSENTIAL OILS AND FERTILIZERS.			
Acids and anhydrides	1,970	614	634
Additives for petroleum oils	2,243	494	647
Alcohols and spirits	2,644	576	712
Drugs and medicinal preparations	15,826	3,627	4,134
Fertilizers—			
Potash salts	1,428	277	423
Rock phosphates	6,243	1,400	2,442
Other	4,360	784	1,641
Perfumery and toilet preparations	2,481	666	568
Tetraethyl lead	1,357	329	383
Chemicals and chemical products, n.e.i.	43,131	10,182	12,192
Total, Class XIX.	81,683	18,949	23,776
CLASS XX.—MISCELLANEOUS.			
Antiques, paintings, works of art	853	162	154
Arms, ammunition and explosives	3,911	758	1,411
Bags, baskets, purses, wallets, etc.	2,157	713	829
Imports made subject to the condition that they be re-exported	9,910	2,290	3,475
Military, naval and air force stores and equipment	5,241	1,736	1,343
Musical instruments and parts	4,885	1,083	1,348
Outside packages	19,587	4,696	5,817
Packing for engines, boilers, etc.	1,839	426	513
Passengers' effects	6,584	1,435	1,720
Plastics materials	20,486	4,917	6,023
All other articles	18,398	4,546	5,177
Total, Class XX.	93,851	22,762	27,810
TOTAL MERCHANDISE	1,185,567	284,944	347,463
CLASS XXI.—GOLD AND SILVER ; BRONZE SPECIE.			
Bronze specie	1	..	..
Gold, incl. gold in matte	2,298	722	685
Silver, incl. silver in matte	93	29	19
Total, Class XXI.	2,392	751	704
GRAND TOTAL	1,187,959	285,695	348,167

TOTAL EXPORTS.

(£A'000 f.o.b. Port of Shipment.)

Particulars.	1963-64.p	Three months ended September—	
		1963.p	1964.p
CLASS I.—FOODSTUFFS OF ANIMAL ORIGIN.			
Butter	27,357	5,624	4,818
Cheese	6,767	1,483	1,380
Eggs	1,775	164	377
Fish, fresh or preserved by cold process	7,177	1,089	1,215
Ghee	561	130	117
Honey	1,382	303	109
Infants' and Invalids foods	3,201	719	827
Meats—			
Bacon and hams, except tinned	43	7	6
Meat concentrates and meat extracts	516	116	430
Preserved by cold process—			
Beef and veal	88,426	27,211	29,933
Lamb	3,873	437	511
Mutton	12,383	2,085	2,580
Offals	4,767	1,174	1,631
Pork	66	19	20
Poultry	124	30	44
Rabbits and hares	1,902	596	500
Preserved in airtight containers	6,309	1,700	2,104
Sausage casings, natural	2,662	512	572
Other	861	189	564
Milk and cream (excl. fresh or frozen)—			
Preserved, condensed, concentrated	5,059	603	1,010
Dried	3,634	734	1,042
Other foodstuffs of animal origin	2,778	709	833
Total, Class I.	181,623	45,634	50,623
CLASS II.—FOODSTUFFS OF VEGETABLE ORIGIN AND NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES.			
Food for animals	2,220	480	402
Fruit juices, syrups and substitutes	652	143	134
Fruit—			
Dried—			
Raisins (incl. sultanas)	8,730	3,238	4,655
Other	2,062	532	548
Fresh and frozen—			
Apples	12,013	853	607
Citrus	1,493	606	696
Other	3,452	248	146
Preserved in airtight containers	16,777	5,187	3,426
Pulp	292	72	44
Grain and pulse—			
Prepared—			
Flour (wheaten)—Plain white	21,119	4,193	6,012
Rice (cleaned), whole and broken	3,369	1,404	1,263
Other	7,221	1,617	1,802
Unprepared—			
Barley	9,149	953	515
Oats	6,311	411	1,653
Wheat	181,228	40,494	30,300
Other	1,221	305	334

Total Exports—continued.
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Particulars.	1963-64.p	Three months ended September—	
		1963.p	1964.p
CLASS II.—FOODSTUFFS OF VEGETABLE ORIGIN AND NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES—continued.			
Sugar—from cane	78,256	31,731	26,282
Other foodstuffs of vegetable origin	7,812	2,483	2,023
Total, Class II	363,377	94,950	80,842
CLASS III.—SPIRITUOUS AND ALCOHOLIC LIQUORS.			
Wine	1,373	381	583
Other	1,396	279	408
Total, Class III.	2,769	660	991
CLASS IV.—TOBACCO.	890	214	236
CLASS V.—LIVE ANIMALS, INCLUDING BIRDS.			
Cattle	307	95	129
Horses	463	142	37
Sheep	1,418	294	358
Other	207	47	52
Total, Class V.	2,395	578	576
CLASS VI.—ANIMAL SUBSTANCES, NOT FOODSTUFFS.			
Hides and skins—			
Calf, cattle and horse	5,378	1,327	1,643
Sheep and lamb	37,167	9,164	8,377
Other (incl. sheepskin and lambskin pieces)	3,374	..	..
Wool—			
Greasy	430,016	70,399	65,108
Washed and scoured, slipe, carbonized, noils, carded and combed (tops and other) and waste	50,785	12,460	10,550
Other animal substances	1,507	1,583	1,597
Total, Class VI.	528,227	94,933	87,275
CLASS VII.—VEGETABLE SUBSTANCES AND FIBRES; CORK AND MANUFACTURES; AND MAN-MADE FIBRES	1,930	543	436
CLASS VIII.—YARNS AND MANUFACTURED FIBRES, TEXTILES AND APPAREL.			
(a) <i>Yarns and Manufactured Fibres</i>	3,448	910	775
(b) <i>Textiles</i>	2,618	677	933

Total Exports—continued.
(£A'000 f.o.b. Port of Shipment.)

Particulars.	1963-64.p	Three months ended September—	
		1963.p	1964.p
CLASS VIII.—YARNS AND MANUFACTURED FIBRES, TEXTILES AND APPAREL—continued.			
(c) <i>Apparel</i>	1,264	346	464
Total, Class VIII.	7,330	1,933	2,172
CLASS IX.—OILS, FATS AND WAXES.			
Fats and waxes, etc.—			
Tallow—edible and inedible	6,247	1,346	1,371
Other	872	184	274
Oils—			
Petroleum and shale (incl. petroleum jelly)—			
Kerosene (incl. aviation turbine fuel) ..	680	246	292
Crudes, residuals, furnace, industrial diesel, marine diesel fuels	9,938	3,442	998
Spirit	3,471	672	580
Other	7,082	2,151	1,174
Other oils, fats and waxes	643	176	149
Total, Class IX.	28,933	8,217	4,838
CLASS X.—PIGMENTS, PAINTS AND VARNISHES ..	1,331	351	381
CLASS XI.—ROCKS, MINERALS AND HYDROCARBONS.			
Coal	16,522	4,058	5,430
Ores and concentrates (incl. residues and wastes)—			
Copper	3,346	618	512
Lead and silver-lead	8,040	1,891	1,667
Titanium and zirconium	8,834	2,640	3,862
Zinc	5,823	1,056	2,990
Other	2,953	447	1,727
Other rocks and minerals	1,597	227	633
Total, Class XI.	47,115	10,937	16,821
CLASS XII.—METALS, METAL MANUFACTURES AND MACHINERY.			
(a) <i>Metals and Metal Manufactures—</i>			
Metals and semi-manufactures—			
Copper	11,149	2,738	1,535
Copper-base alloys	2,606	558	443
Iron and steel—			
Bar and rod	3,198	1,104	832
Pipes, tubes and fittings therefor ..	3,728	1,321	1,085
Plate and sheet	13,942	4,323	3,484
Scrap	4,330	1,208	1,366
Other	8,297	2,807	1,467
Lead and alloys (excl. solder)—			
Bullion (lead and silver-lead) ..	8,550	1,903	2,865
Unwrought, n.e.i. (excl. antimonial and bearing metal)	15,526	3,723	4,754
Other	1,123	93	255
Zinc	9,136	2,385	3,091
Other metals and semi-manufactures ..	2,627	663	1,270

Total Exports—continued.
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Particulars.	1963-64.p	Three months ended September—	
		1963.p	1964.p
CLASS XII.—METALS, METAL MANUFACTURES AND MACHINERY—continued.			
<i>(a) Metals and Metal Manufactures—continued.</i>			
Metal manufactures—			
Vehicles and parts—			
Complete motor vehicles	6,189	1,218	1,850
Other vehicles, components and parts	11,705	2,598	3,871
Other metal manufactures	9,790	2,591	2,746
Total, Class XII.(a)	111,896	29,233	30,914
<i>(b) Dynamo Electrical Machinery and Appliances and Equipment—</i>			
Communication equipment	3,415	714	841
Other electrical appliances	4,330	1,018	1,523
Total, Class XII.(a)	7,745	1,732	2,364
<i>(c) Machines and Machinery (except Dynamo Electrical)—</i>			
Agricultural, horticultural, etc., machinery	2,000	468	520
Mining and metallurgical machinery and appliances	1,425	316	319
Motive power machinery	3,273	844	1,150
Other machines and machinery	14,047	3,286	4,656
Total, Class XII.(c)	20,745	4,914	6,645
Total, Class XII.	140,386	35,879	39,923
CLASS XIII.—RUBBER AND LEATHER AND MANUFACTURES THEREOF.			
<i>(a) Rubber and Rubber Manufactures</i>	1,602	423	466
<i>(b) Leather and Leather Manufactures—</i>			
Leather	3,665	808	787
Leather manufactures	122	124	173
Total, Class XIII.(b)	3,787	932	960
Total, Class XIII.	5,389	1,355	1,426
CLASS XIV.—WOOD AND WICKER.			
Railway sleepers	1,131	486	87
Timber	1,531	341	470
Wood and wicker manufactures	434	122	128
Total, Class XIV.	3,096	949	685
CLASS XV.—EARTHENWARE, CEMENT, CHINA, GLASS AND STONEWARE	1,696	402	472

Total Exports—continued.
(£A'000 f.o.b. Port of Shipment.)

Particulars.	1963-64.p	Three months ended September—	
		1963.p	1964.p
CLASS XVI.—PAPER AND STATIONERY			
(a) <i>Pulp, Paper and Board</i>	2,707	532	909
(b) <i>Paper Manufactures and Stationery—</i>			
Books (printed), periodicals, newspapers, etc.	2,493	645	621
Other paper manufactures, etc.	1,297	306	327
Total, Class XVI.(b)	3,790	951	948
Total, Class XVI.	6,497	1,483	1,857
CLASS XVII.—SPORTING MATERIAL, TOYS, FANCY GOODS, JEWELLERY AND TIMEPIECES.			
Precious and semi-precious stones, unset	3,695	983	988
Sporting material	1,122	257	307
Other jewellery, timepieces, etc.	505	97	199
Total, Class XVII.	5,322	1,337	1,494
CLASS XVIII.—OPTICAL, SURGICAL AND SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS AND APPLIANCES AND PHOTOGRAPHIC GOODS, N.E.I.			
Films for cinematographs	323	95	101
Photographic goods and materials	1,683	646	599
Other optical, surgical and scientific instruments and materials	1,680	401	399
Total, Class XVIII.	3,686	1,142	1,099
CLASS XIX.—CHEMICALS, MEDICINAL AND PHARMACEUTICAL PRODUCTS, ESSENTIAL OILS AND FERTILIZERS.			
Casein	2,688	546	377
Drugs and medicinal preparations	3,331	780	963
Other chemicals, elements, compounds and preparations (incl. fertilizers)	6,935	1,743	2,166
Total, Class XIX.	12,954	3,069	3,506

Total Exports—continued.
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Particulars.	1963-64.p	Three months ended September—	
		1963.p	1964.p
CLASS XX.—MISCELLANEOUS.			
Exports made subject to the condition that they be re-imported. Goods exported by Australian companies for installation in or servicing their own aircraft abroad	11,036	3,009	3,035
Military, naval and air force stores and equipment	2,417	593	746
Plastics materials	2,116	502	770
Miscellaneous exports when valued at less than £50 in any one consignment	6,307	1,702	1,746
Vessels (ships) transferred abroad	303	49	128
All other articles	15,828	4,185	4,509
Total, Class XX.	38,007	10,040	10,934
TOTAL MERCHANDISE	1,382,953	314,606	306,587
CLASS XXI.—GOLD AND SILVER; BRONZE SPECIE.			
Bronze Specie	2	..	..
Gold, incl. gold in matte	7,145	2,535	1,047
Silver, incl. silver in matte	2,926	52	820
Total, Class XXI.	10,073	2,587	1,867
Total Australian Produce	1,365,233	310,208	300,829
Re-exports	27,793	6,985	7,625
Grand Total	1,393,026	317,193	308,454

TOTAL QUANTITIES OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES EXPORTED FROM AUSTRALIA.

Particulars.	Unit of Quantity.	Three months ended September—		
		1963-64.p	1963.p	1964.p
CLASS I.—FOODSTUFFS OF ANIMAL ORIGIN.				
Butter	'000 lb.	196,567	40,941	30,472
Cheese	"	62,407	14,006	11,145
Eggs—				
In shell	'000 dozen	3,599	294	1,194
Not in shell	'000 lb.	9,915	1,391	1,726
Fish—fresh or preserved by cold process	"	16,482	2,285	3,331
Infants' and invalids' foods	"	23,188	4,273	4,821
Meats—				
Preserved by cold process—				
Beef and veal	"	630,200	192,903	217,561
Lamb	"	41,744	3,762	4,118
Mutton	"	149,985	24,710	27,195
Offals	"	47,315	12,686	14,751
Rabbits and hares—skinned (carcasses and pieces)	"	15,378	3,378	4,165
Preserved in airtight containers	"	56,818	13,300	15,884
Sausage casings, natural.. .. .	'000 bundles	2,802	564	615
Milk and cream—				
Preserved, condensed, concentrated	'000 lb.	77,905	9,654	14,995
Dried	"	57,172	10,681	12,746
CLASS II.—FOODSTUFFS OF VEGETABLE ORIGIN.				
Fruit—				
Dried—				
Currants	'000 lb.	12,369	4,025	4,589
Sultanas	"	120,737	48,573	57,863
Fresh—				
Apples	bushel	8,208,924	483,155	416,266
Citrus	"	960,795	383,108	438,734
Pears	"	1,665,620	43,120	92,178
Preserved in airtight containers	'000 lb.	284,142	89,093	56,816
Grain or pulse—				
Prepared—				
Flour (wheaten) plain white	"	1,368,985	272,397	360,211
Rice	ton	45,929	17,944	25,034
Unprepared—				
Barley	"	422,525	43,896	21,596
Oats	"	297,724	17,987	75,790
Wheat	"	6,800,731	1,585,637	1,085,636
Sugar—from cane	"	1,116,188	480,827	509,900
CLASS III.—SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS.				
Wine	'000 gal.	1,531	448	1,236

Total Quantities of Principal Commodities Exported from Australia—*continued*.

Particulars.	Unit of Quantity.	Three months ended September—		
		1963-64.p	1963.p	1964.p
CLASS VI.—ANIMAL SUBSTANCES, NOT FOODSTUFFS.				
Hides and skins—				
Calf, cattle and horse	'000 lb.	107,980	26,015	31,812
Rabbit and hare	"	2,258	889	787
Sheep and lamb	'000 skins	29,286	6,038	5,718
Wool—				
Greasy	'000 lb.	1,381,579	249,149	230,200
Washed and scoured, slipe, carbonized, noils, carded and combed (tops and other) and waste ..	"	127,490	34,227	27,097
CLASS IX.—OILS, FATS AND WAXES.				
Tallow, edible and inedible ..	cwt.	2,105,772	490,191	744,903
Petroleum and shale oils—				
Crudes, residuals, furnace, industrial diesel, marine diesel fuels, automotive distillate	'000 gals.	318,175	125,606	55,010
Kerosene, including aviation turbine fuel	"	10,197	3,462	4,435
Spirit	"	65,169	10,756	7,610
CLASS XI.—ROCKS, MINERALS AND HYDRO-CARBONS.				
Coal	ton	3,878,287	953,231	1,275,908
Ores and concentrates—				
Copper	cwt.	945,096	162,577	124,406
Lead and silver-lead	"	2,661,270	675,057	421,466
Titanium and zirconium	"	12,254,354	2,725,832	3,673,664
Zinc	"	4,680,737	1,078,555	1,380,219
CLASS XII.—METALS, METAL MANUFACTURES, ETC.				
Copper, blocks, ingots, etc. ..	cwt.	789,257	189,688	99,853
Iron and steel—				
Pipes, tubes and fittings therefor..	"	1,017,865	385,376	262,957
Plate and sheet	"	3,811,833	1,197,241	905,085
Scrap	"	7,034,527	2,045,392	2,260,627
Lead—				
Bullion (lead and silver-lead) ..	"	1,618,519	425,429	1,295,184
Unwrought shapes	"	3,435,674	940,905	809,129
Zinc, blocks, ingots, etc.	"	1,738,317	509,147	398,672

PRINCIPAL PRODUCTS OF AUSTRALIAN ORIGIN EXPORTED FROM AUSTRALIA.

Period.	Butter.	Cheese.	Meats.				Fruits.		
			Pork.(a) Bacon and Hams.	Beef and Veal.(a)	Mutton and Lamb.(a)	Pre- served in Air- tight Con- tainers.	Dried.	Fresh or Frozen. (b)	Pre- served in Air- tight Con- tainers.
QUANTITY. (’000 lb.)									
1959-60 ..	172,410	41,395	1,136	421,576	131,027	107,649	118,611	6,892	199,945
1960-61 ..	136,948	40,404	1,359	300,192	147,505	67,977	135,118	7,463	151,983
1961-62 ..	174,731	50,126	2,342	450,601	146,512	74,802	136,339	9,395	188,745
1962-63 ..	173,399	58,102	640	584,128	193,356	49,775	143,030	9,227	172,140
1963-64p ..	196,563	62,405	501	630,120	191,614	56,818	149,574	11,197	284,142
Three months ended Sep- tember—									
1963p ..	40,941	14,006	133	192,881	28,402	13,300	55,845	913	89,093
1964p ..	30,472	11,145	120	217,561	31,313	15,884	69,754	962	56,816

VALUE. (£A ¹ 000 f.o.b. Port of Shipment.)									
1959-60 ..	28,646	4,989	253	55,464	9,108	13,319	9,066	9,294	12,385
1960-61 ..	19,651	4,608	301	40,110	13,227	9,366	9,087	10,368	9,771
1961-62 ..	23,537	5,203	374	58,840	10,780	10,519	10,358	13,362	11,919
1962-63 ..	23,594	6,095	130	79,265	16,832	6,518	9,537	14,985	10,635
1963-64p ..	27,357	6,767	109	88,416	16,245	6,309	10,792	16,958	16,777
Three months ended Sep- tember—									
1963p ..	5,624	1,483	26	27,209	2,516	1,700	3,770	1,707	5,187
1964p ..	4,818	1,380	26	29,933	3,091	2,104	5,203	1,449	3,426

Period.	Wheat.	Flour (Wheaten) Plain White.	Barley (Unpre- pared).	Sugar— from Cane.	Wool.		Sheep and Lamb- skins. (d)	Lead (Un- wrought).
					Greasy.	Scoured (c)		

QUANTITY.								
	tons.	'000 lb.	tons.	tons.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	tons.
1959-60 ..	2,444,251	1,071,916	558,319	701,319	1,293,359	137,110	168,447	121,420
1960-61 ..	4,098,081	1,316,058	756,704	796,499	1,257,910	125,067	172,064	127,055
1961-62 ..	5,441,667	1,158,547	701,681	843,537	1,329,358	130,210	174,379	198,942
1962-63 ..	4,070,653	1,047,724	230,411	1,145,967	1,277,511	136,108	183,384	169,264
1963-64p ..	6,800,729	1,368,985	422,525	1,116,188	1,381,579	127,348	185,743	171,784
Three months ended Sep- tember—								
1963p ..	1,585,637	272,397	43,896	480,827	249,149	34,227	47,356	47,045
1964p ..	1,085,636	360,211	21,596	509,900	230,200	27,097	45,439	40,456

VALUE. (£A ¹ 000 f.o.b. Port of Shipment.)								
1959-60 ..	61,680	15,143	11,541	26,671	337,097	49,056	23,315	10,878
1960-61 ..	102,426	18,979	14,329	35,072	296,208	38,234	21,429	10,527
1961-62 ..	142,446	17,397	14,954	33,894	330,525	42,001	24,208	14,578
1962-63 ..	108,452	15,695	5,229	45,522	335,653	43,703	27,741	11,097
1963-64p ..	181,228	21,119	9,149	78,256	430,016	50,751	36,866	15,526
Three months ended Sep- tember—								
1963p ..	40,494	4,193	953	31,731	70,399	12,460	9,087	3,723
1964p ..	30,300	6,012	515	26,282	65,108	10,550	8,494	4,754

(a) Preserved by cold process. (b) '000 bushels. (c) Includes scoured and washed, carbonized tops, noils, waste and slip. (d) Excludes pickled skins and pieces.

PRINCIPAL PRODUCTS OF AUSTRALIAN ORIGIN EXPORTED TO VARIOUS COUNTRIES.

Country of Consignment and State of Final Shipment.	Three months ended September—							
	1963.		1964.p		1963.		1964.p	
	'000 lb.	£A'000.	'000 lb.	£A'000	'000 lb.	£A'000.	'000 lb.	£A'000.
	BUTTER.				CHEESE.			
United Kingdom ..	33,349	4,447	24,735	3,718	7,041	601	5,636	566
Australian Territories ..	354	54	305	59	41	7	70	12
Ceylon ..	960	143	715	123	95	17	184	34
Guiana (British) ..	47	7	25	5	5	1	17	3
Hong Kong ..	646	97	603	112	138	21	129	22
Malaysia ..	1,646	260	1,132	217	245	40	191	34
Mauritius ..	136	26	120	26	66	12	50	9
West Indies, Fed. of ..	203	36	135	29	260	32	51	7
Other C'wealth Countries	474	79	615	111	254	39	190	32
Arabian States ..	354	65	455	102	871	191	813	166
Burma ..	262	47	89	18	115	24	3	1
Germany, Fed. Rep. of ..	67	9	..	..	548	48	..	..
Iraq ..	10	1	..	..	115	23	224	45
Japan ..	27	4	21	5	1,253	128	1,953	199
New Caledonia ..	155	23	208	38	50	9	60	10
Peru ..	636	100	474	89	2	..	4	..
Philippines ..	8	1	2	1	216	42	1,139	174
Polynesia ..	87	16	203	45	1	..	..	..
Other Foreign Countries	1,520	209	633	120	2,690	248	431	66
New South Wales ..	2,419	344	527	106	157	27	161	21
Victoria ..	28,527	4,068	23,378	3,690	5,278	706	4,779	730
Queensland ..	8,300	1,021	3,281	619	2,076	225	2,432	262
South Australia ..	422	53	7	1	6,423	518	3,672	357
Western Australia ..	16	2	38	5	72	7	96	9
Tasmania ..	1,257	136	3,241	397	..	..	5	1
Total ..	40,941	5,624	30,472	4,818	14,006	1,483	11,145	1,380
	BEEF AND VEAL. (Preserved by Cold Process.)				MUTTON AND LAMB. (Preserved by Cold Process.)			
United Kingdom ..	12,162	1,449	96,544	13,180	2,962	284	6,194	665
Australian Territories ..	697	118	690	119	305	34	379	48
Bermuda ..	337	58	187	36	90	12	14	2
Canada ..	2,776	477	1,556	299	6,476	625	6,910	735
Hong Kong ..	865	106	1,037	151	127	10	109	9
Malaysia ..	3,376	391	2,461	319	1,233	73	1,426	103
Malta ..	541	86	690	115	204	18	793	49
West Indies, Fed. of ..	1,389	161	1,951	247	17	2	32	5
Other C'wealth Countries	448	69	610	95	753	66	1,227	115
Arabian States ..	397	91	546	140	1,059	100	800	96
Greece ..	5	2	4,098	472	684	31	4,429	460
Japan ..	567	61	3,546	373	4,724	415	5,891	515
Philippines ..	662	50	475	59	..	..	16	1
United States of America	167,769	23,979	83,564	11,687	8,068	760	1,802	193
Other Foreign Countries	890	111	19,606	2,641	1,700	86	1,291	95
New South Wales ..	28,822	4,200	30,753	4,409	6,065	637	6,716	730
Victoria ..	31,163	4,311	34,896	4,724	16,850	1,402	17,590	1,675
Queensland ..	116,744	16,549	132,745	18,287	2,528	229	4,544	462
South Australia ..	1,709	232	1,404	198	755	67	1,021	97
Western Australia ..	10,161	1,344	10,377	1,330	1,525	121	882	80
Tasmania ..	2,838	388	3,488	462	678	60	560	47
Northern Territory ..	1,444	185	3,898	523	1	..	..	..
Total ..	192,881	27,209	217,561	29,933	28,402	2,516	31,313	3,091

NOTE.—Values expressed in Australian currency, f.o.b. port of shipment.

Principal Products of Australian Origin Exported to Various Countries—continued.

Country of Consignment and State of Final Shipment.	Three months ended September—							
	1963.		1964.p		1963.		1964.p	
	Tons.	£A'000.	Tons.	£A'000.	'000 lb.	£A'000.	'000 lb.	£A'000.
	WHEAT.				FLOUR (WHEATEN)—PLAIN-WHITE.			
United Kingdom ..	232,065	6,044	97,362	2,688	30,199	424	33,672	395
Arabia, South ..	11,798	377	22,173	738	16,075	235	26,172	433
Ceylon ..	98	3	100	3	30,572	460	87,723	1,455
India ..	87,425	2,228	80,727	2,346				
Malaysia ..	9,939	282	20,824	595	92,155	1,460	61,731	1,083
New Zealand ..	59,598	1,587	49,275	1,411	1	1		
Pakistan ..	35,010	929	35,946	1,004	1	2		
Other C'wealth Countries	53,349	1,451	28,467	763	35,429	567	45,195	822
Arabian States ..	4,829	147	2,796	92	35,386	534	31,435	546
China, Rep. of (Mainland)	729,328	17,832	436,401	11,922				
Germany, Fed. Rep. of								
Iran ..	13,447	362	17,131	559				
Japan ..	165,762	4,404	103,453	2,961				
Norway ..	15,000	395	3,911	112				
South Africa ..			90	3				
Spain ..	33,100	873						
Other Foreign Countries	134,889	3,580	186,980	5,103	32,579	510	74,283	1,278
For Orders ..								
New South Wales ..	442,045	11,185	481,392	13,304	74,063	1,153	92,822	1,602
Victoria ..	365,035	8,991	266,991	7,434	85,396	1,294	120,976	2,120
Queensland ..	72,790	1,971	78,281	2,194	25,770	409	32,887	426
South Australia ..	196,704	5,159	69,802	2,077	48,464	745	50,525	849
Western Australia	509,063	13,188	189,170	5,291	38,704	592	63,001	1,015
Tasmania ..								
Total ..	1,585,637	40,494	1,085,636	30,300	272,397	4,193	360,211	6,012
	Tons.	£A'000.	Tons.	£A'000.	Tons.	£A'000.	Tons.	£A'000.
	BARLEY—UNPREPARED.				SUGAR—FROM CANE.			
United Kingdom ..	13,449	276	16,604	374	138,150	7,805	182,713	10,145
Canada ..					44,056	3,245	11,955	514
Hong Kong ..	127	3	76	2	2,530	211		
New Zealand ..	2				29,697	2,593	21,695	1,110
Other C'wealth Countries	432	12	223	5	2,105	226	9,112	540
China, Rep. of (Mainland)								
Germany, Fed. Rep. of ..			621	15				
Italy ..	25,373	565			103	12	6	1
Japan ..	2,500	49			125,568	8,272	117,385	5,160
United States of America					132,643	9,045	162,560	8,408
Other Foreign Countries	2,013	48	4,072	119	5,975	322	4,474	404
For Orders ..								
New South Wales ..	3		3		1,824	193	4,053	170
Victoria ..	2,258	45	4,179	87	343	38	68	5
Queensland ..					478,635	31,497	505,759	26,106
South Australia ..	28,719	619	17,411	428				
Western Australia	12,916	289	3		25	3	20	1
Total ..	43,896	953	21,596	515	480,827	31,731	509,900	26,282

NOTE.—Values expressed in Australian currency, f.o.b. port of shipment.

Principal Products of Australian Origin Exported to Various Countries—continued.

Country of Consignment and State of Final Shipment.	Three months ended September—							
	1963		1964.p		1963.		1964.p	
	'000 lb.	£A'000.	'000 lb.	£A'000.	'000 lb.	£A'000.	'000 lb.	£A'000
	WOOL—GREASY.				WOOL—SCOURED AND WASHED, SLIPE, CARBONIZED, TOPS, NOILS AND WASTE.			
United Kingdom ..	42,440	11,866	28,859	7,914	4,238	1,220	3,478	1,050
Canada ..	71	27	62	26	1,655	643	1,749	790
Hong Kong ..	..	..	..	..	2,488	1,227	1,866	1,011
India ..	1,567	488	3,075	917	1,526	688	683	365
Ireland, Republic of ..	740	235	288	97	5	1	2	1
New Zealand ..	..	..	..	..	506	265	849	506
Pakistan ..	..	..	3	1	508	249	642	335
Other C'wealth Countries	6	2	..	..	4	1	..	..
Austria ..	915	298	1,295	404	3	1	25	15
Belgium-Luxembourg ..	20,060	4,303	22,250	4,442	475	119	598	190
China, Republic of—	..	..	..	..	1,348	602	1,048	414
Formosa ..	..	..	..	..	1,944	903	250	100
Mainland ..	1,758	564	1,129	367	58	22	..	..
Czechoslovakia ..	6,711	2,173	2,973	928	43	34	80	29
Denmark ..	..	..	2	1	930	312	960	324
France ..	27,799	7,479	17,629	4,395	36	14	..	..
Germany (East) ..	38	6	629	194	1,901	620	2,026	702
Germany, Fed. Rep. of ..	16,287	4,272	15,002	3,991	767	321	344	173
Greece ..	66	19	3	2	1,023	430	768	370
Iran ..	55	27	18	10	2,282	934	1,512	582
Italy ..	16,170	3,727	14,292	3,366	2,001	571	935	283
Japan ..	97,648	29,753	101,071	31,152	441	96	117	25
Korea, Republic of ..	676	223	400	140	49	23	22	12
Mexico ..	2,802	830	4,970	1,681	123	37	160	65
Netherlands ..	247	51	96	27	4	2	..	..
Poland ..	1,354	395	4,395	1,388	32	10	65	22
Portugal ..	375	105	610	204	118	37	82	31
South Africa ..	613	191	499	141	3	1	77	24
Spain ..	387	105	1,080	258	15	5	41	18
Switzerland ..	..	..	112	33	268	126	..	..
Turkey ..	1,550	481	698	239	11	4	..	..
U.S.S.R. ..	3,857	1,263	1,215	414	8,453	2,567	7,724	2,654
United Arab Republic ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
United States of America	1,780	568	5,645	1,790	..	..	..	..
Yugoslavia ..	629	218	666	261	812	325	841	409
Other Foreign Countries	634	171	83	212	49	142
For Orders ..	2,114	559	40	113
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New South Wales ..	74,581	21,023	67,240	18,639	8,664	3,332	7,145	2,668
Victoria ..	62,077	17,782	54,578	16,192	11,418	4,032	8,318	3,413
Queensland ..	46,796	13,553	50,369	14,232	3,450	1,112	2,804	1,022
South Australia ..	32,535	8,710	31,231	8,381	4,010	1,558	3,454	1,429
Western Australia	32,447	9,123	24,891	7,020	6,608	2,403	5,296	1,995
Tasmania ..	723	208	1,891	644	77	23	80	23
Total ..	249,149	70,399	230,200	65,108	34,227	12,460	27,097	10,550

NOTE.—Values expressed in Australian currency, f.o.b. port of shipment.

Principal Products of Australian Origin Exported to Various Countries—*continued.*

Country of Consignment and State of Final Shipment.	Three months ended September—							
	1963.		1964.p		1963.		1964.p	
	'000 lb.	£A'000.	'000 lb.	£A'000.	Cwts.	£A'000.	Cwts.	£A'000.
	SHEEP AND LAMB SKINS (with Wool on).				LEAD (Unwrought).			
United Kingdom ..	2,429	422	3,517	629	331,733	1,251	407,100	2,448
India ..	2	..	10	2	94,763	386	37,898	229
New Zealand ..	..	..	6	1	38,913	130	27,071	169
Other C'wealth Countries	17	3	2	..	1,819	7	6,896	46
Belgium-Luxembourg ..	1,831	382	1,898	371	..	..	..	..
France ..	29,568	5,593	26,095	4,747	..	..	..	..
Italy ..	7,744	1,595	7,379	1,451	73,033	272	20,024	116
Japan ..	70	10	104	19	37,386	158	113,100	651
Netherlands ..	517	73	366	58	..	..	..	..
South Africa ..	..	..	55	9	15,997	69	9,999	57
United States of America	..	..	210	42	259,116	1,102	154,499	833
Other Foreign Countries	5,135	1,003	5,797	1,170	38,104	154	26,543	170
For Orders ..	43	6	..	..	50,041	194	5,999	35
New South Wales ..	11,767	2,241	11,727	2,188	10	..	5,341	28
Victoria ..	21,235	4,176	17,884	3,428	..	..	1,383	3
Queensland ..	4,083	739	5,517	983	10	..	..	..
South Australia ..	6,249	1,167	7,059	1,252	940,885	3,723	793,128	4,654
Western Australia ..	2,275	437	1,873	371	..	..	140	1
Tasmania ..	1,747	327	1,379	272	..	..	9,137	68
Total ..	47,356	9,087	45,439	8,494	940,905	3,723	809,129	4,754

Country of Consignment and State of Final Shipment.	Three months ended September—			
	1963.		1964.p	
	Tons.	£A'000.	Tons.	£A'000.

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Pacific Islands	2,014	9	3,023	12
Pakistan	17,909	69	47,706	188
Singapore	25
Other Commonwealth Countries	15,625	57	5,560	22
Japan	892,033	3,827	1,142,097	4,899
Korea, Republic of ..	9,011	34	18,046	56
New Caledonia	16,612	62	36,000	144
Other Foreign Countries	2	..	23,476	109
New South Wales	791,531	3,310	1,008,001	4,239
Victoria .. ..	..	..	20	..
Queensland	161,700	748	267,887	1,191
South Australia .. ..	..	..	..	..
Western Australia .. ..	..	..	..	..
Total	953,231	4,058	1,275,908	5,430

NOTE.—Values expressed in Australian currency, f.o.b. port of shipment.

IMPORTS INTO AUSTRALIA OF THE PRODUCE OR MANUFACTURE OF THE UNDERMENTIONED COUNTRIES.

(\$A'000 f.o.b. Port of Shipment.)

OVERSEA TRADE.

Statistical Class.	United Kingdom.	Australian Territories.	Brunei.	Canada.	Ceylon.	India.	Malaya.	New Zealand.	Arabian States.	Belgium-Luxembourg.	Czechoslovakia.	France.
Year ended June, 1964.p												
1. Foodstuffs of animal origin ..	2,954	17	..	1,249	1	230	7	1,567	..	3	8	17
2. Foodstuffs of vegetable origin; non-alcoholic beverages ..	907	2,514	..	327	7,901	2,675	121	940	4	25	35	100
3. Spirituous and alcoholic liquors ..	3,892	..	..	13	..	..	..	2	..	..	3	320
4. Tobacco ..	509	..	..	237	..	..	..	..	..	18	..	5
5. Live animals, incl. birds ..	246	1	..	..	..	..	8	597	..	..	..	17
6. Animal substances, not food- stuffs ..	1,168	200	..	36	1	292	7	1,956	..	10	..	17
7. Vegetable substances and fibres; cork and manufactures; and synthetic fibres ..	2,721	2,308	..	313	261	590	23	1,183	..	632	1	186
8A. Yarns and manufactured fibres ..	8,177	..	..	282	13	3,789	..	69	..	65	16	205
B. Textiles ..	15,952	..	..	1,152	..	7,086	12	159	..	1,878	1,175	1,495
C. Apparel ..	3,030	..	..	299	..	35	..	84	..	13	113	351
9. Oils, fats and waxes ..	1,648	40	4,820	151	19	1,786	383	24	44,402	5	..	122
10. Pigments, paints, varnishes ..	2,844	..	..	5	..	4	..	13	..	21	..	92
11. Rocks, minerals and hydro- carbons ..	842	..	..	2,221	25	143	..	28	..	8	3	74
12A. Metals and metal manufactures ..	89,091	36	..	12,428	..	28	1,531	438	..	1,427	226	6,695
B. Dynamo electrical machinery, etc. ..	23,502	..	..	1,923	..	2	..	54	..	484	3	1,296
C. Machines and Machinery (ex- cept dynamo electrical) ..	76,127	1	..	3,600	..	22	..	477	..	684	362	3,069
13. Rubber and leather and manu- factures thereof ..	5,767	1,239	..	957	38	44	6,759	131	..	65	8	1,073
14. Wood and wicker ..	402	1,221	27	5,420	..	9	2,478	1,058	..	1	1	31
15. Earthenware, cement, china, glass and stoneware ..	8,297	..	..	204	..	2	..	47	..	1,232	438	674
16. Pulp, paper, paper manufac- tures and stationery ..	17,803	39	..	9,234	..	47	11	11,894	1	273	159	366
17. Sporting materials, toys, fancy goods, jewellery and time- pieces ..	3,643	10	..	278	12	123	1	55	..	465	183	236
18. Optical, surgical and scientific instruments ..	6,543	8	..	268	..	4	2	37	..	255	24	228
19. Chemicals, medicinal and pharmaceutical products, etc. ..	22,837	4,605	..	2,445	5	34	19	207	2	280	109	1,814
20. Miscellaneous ..	30,668	788	..	4,986	270	323	1,251	1,322	18	540	324	1,522
21. Gold and silver; bronze specie	2	685	..	..	..	..	..	106	..	..	..	..
Total, 1963-64 ..	329,572	13,712	4,847	48,028	8,546	17,268	12,613	22,448	44,427	8,384	3,191	20,005
Total, 1962-63 ..	329,231	11,639	5,322	45,917	8,534	18,073	13,638	17,745	43,806	6,998	2,768	17,778

Imports into Australia of the Produce or Manufacture of the Undermentioned Countries—continued.

(£A'000 L.o.b. Port of Shipment.)

OVERSEA TRADE.

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Statistical Class.	Federal Republic of Germany.	Indonesia.	Iran.	Italy.	Japan.	Netherlands.	South Africa.	Sweden.	Switzerland.	United States of America.	Other Countries.	Total All Countries.
Year ended June, 1964.p												
1. Foodstuffs of animal origin ..	452	..	..	342	2,389	352	1,499	27	68	740	2,923	14,845
2. Foodstuffs of vegetable origin; non-alcoholic beverages ..	163	1,654	103	582	106	1,319	51	39	30	1,696	9,517	30,809
3. Spirituous and alcoholic liquors ..	41	..	..	94	5	18	1	1	1	23	160	4,574
4. Tobacco ..	8	45	..	2	..	874	1,440	..	..	9,143	1,159	13,440
5. Live animals, incl. birds ..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	9	71	13	964
6. Animal substances, not food-stuffs ..	11	58	5	18	37	39	96	23	3	249	2,806	7,032
7. Vegetable substances fibres; cork and manufactures; and synthetic fibres ..	575	94	18	300	929	210	1,207	245	47	8,906	8,081	23,830
8A. Yarns and manufactured fibres ..	95	..	..	1,152	2,440	906	..	2	72	2,131	5,436	24,850
B. Textiles ..	2,367	..	46	2,211	24,645	711	..	158	1,944	8,839	11,990	81,820
C. Apparel ..	341	15	..	1,645	1,523	40	8	17	142	536	2,818	11,010
9. Oils, fats and waxes ..	394	25,857	18,612	99	950	528	197	85	10	7,021	19,343	126,496
10. Pigments, paints, varnishes ..	1,053	..	..	35	68	96	3	1	847	576	148	5,806
11. Rocks, minerals and hydrocarbons ..	68	..	..	244	334	59	1,463	31	2	4,026	2,218	11,789
12A. Metals and metal manufactures ..	15,869	48	..	3,348	17,861	1,039	1,359	2,410	349	60,359	3,889	218,431
B. Dynamo electrical machinery, etc. ..	4,728	..	..	465	3,513	2,106	49	6,388	820	12,897	762	58,992
C. Machines and machinery (except dynamo electrical) ..	16,751	46	..	5,186	3,180	1,333	172	5,655	3,122	74,321	1,976	196,084
13. Rubber and leather and manufactures thereof ..	403	..	..	414	1,789	182	46	93	17	5,525	1,029	25,579
14. Wood and wicker ..	139	23	..	29	512	25	4	113	17	5,104	3,955	20,569
15. Earthenware, cement, china, glass and stoneware ..	1,014	..	..	282	3,696	340	18	273	56	2,981	800	20,354
16. Pulp, paper, paper manufactures and stationery ..	1,517	..	..	646	1,814	931	34	5,783	139	12,257	8,180	71,128
17. Sporting material, toys, fancy goods, jewellery and time-pieces ..	1,288	..	..	392	2,416	150	346	34	2,089	892	2,378	14,991
18. Optical, surgical and scientific instruments ..	2,954	..	..	425	2,261	392	109	118	553	6,810	649	21,640
19. Chemicals, medicinal and pharmaceutical products, etc. ..	7,992	4	2	914	4,849	1,371	594	426	4,012	25,114	4,048	81,683
20. Miscellaneous ..	7,115	205	27	1,818	5,748	2,645	456	891	650	21,588	10,696	93,851
21. Gold and silver; bronze specie ..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	14	1,575	2,392
Total, 1963-64 ..	65,343	28,049	18,813	20,643	81,067	15,661	9,152	22,813	15,004	271,824	106,549	1,187,959
Total, 1962-63 ..	58,662	29,013	19,232	19,532	64,689	13,736	8,126	17,912	14,196	230,046	84,742	1,081,335

EXPORTS FROM AUSTRALIA TO THE UNDERMENTIONED COUNTRIES.
(£A'000 f.o.b. Port of Shipment.)

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OVERSEA TRADE.

Statistical Class.	United Kingdom.	Australian Territories.	Canada.	Ceylon.	Hong Kong.	India.	Malaya.	New Zealand.	Singapore.	Belgium-Luxembourg.	Republic of China, Mainland.	Czechoslovakia.
Year ended June, 1964.p												
1. Foodstuffs of animal origin ..	50,235	2,339	5,679	1,247	1,798	473	3,834	25	3,763	127	6	..
2. Foodstuffs of vegetable origin ; non-alcoholic beverages ..	77,637	3,380	14,751	4,875	3,989	5,583	4,653	12,438	5,951	298	66,682	..
3. Spirituous and alcoholic liquors ..	843	540	324	2	44	6	86	105	101	..	..	..
4. Tobacco ..	..	593	..	1	21	..	1	13	2	..	..	..
5. Live animals, incl. birds ..	1	63	..	..	173	2	91	88	668	1	..	..
6. Animal substances, not food- stuffs ..	80,358	4	2,924	5	5,596	6,260	3	1,074	453	25,292	15,623	8,054
7. Vegetable substances and fibres; cork and manufactures ; and synthetic fibres ..	358	24	7	1	5	6	3	301	17	28	..	..
8. Yarns and manufactured fibres, textiles and apparel ..	413	474	79	3	299	324	64	3,616	156	6	7	1
9. Oils, fats and waxes ..	2,469	648	27	395	71	273	499	11,803	2,428	1	617	..
10. Pigments, paints, varnishes ..	21	131	..	1	24	23	36	275	52	..	..	..
11. Rocks, minerals and hydro- carbons ..	7,536	222	72	65	35	16	153	411	181	1,890	182	..
12A. Metals and metal manufactures	23,323	4,083	540	134	2,507	3,270	1,413	28,121	1,265	2,084	894	32
B. Dynamo electrical machinery, etc. ..	411	898	147	60	213	144	150	2,820	640	8	..	..
C. Machines and machinery (ex- cept dynamo electrical) ..	1,656	2,130	277	165	328	364	981	6,043	644	39	1	9
13. Rubber and leather and manu- factures thereof ..	2,584	176	45	34	501	21	79	524	114	11	25	..
14. Wood and wicker ..	345	117	9	4	40	18	12	898	6	10	1	..
15. Earthenware, cement, china, glass and stoneware ..	102	591	1	1	12	1	29	530	52	..	..	..
16. Pulp, paper, paper manufac- tures and stationery ..	416	775	18	33	230	310	389	2,633	353	11	..	..
17. Sporting material, toys, fancy- goods, jewellery and time- pieces ..	915	53	68	3	532	7	7	178	58	56	..	..
18. Optical, surgical and scientific instruments ..	1,173	218	21	1	31	44	17	1,247	16	2	..	..
19. Chemicals, medicinal and pharmaceutical products, etc.	1,044	894	131	46	232	49	407	4,012	281	3	4	..
20. Miscellaneous ..	2,939	9,434	333	79	1,403	533	1,514	5,608	1,290	28	56	9
21. Gold and silver ; bronze specie	785	254	..	..	7,015	..	..	144	..	..	..	..
Total, 1963-64 ..	255,564	28,041	25,453	7,155	25,099	17,727	14,421	82,907	18,491	29,895	84,098	8,105
Total, 1962-63 ..	200,814	22,065	19,051	6,455	20,234	18,610	13,262	65,567	16,847	23,187	64,644	4,683

Exports from Australia to the Undermentioned Countries—continued.
(£A'000 f.o.b. Port of Shipment.)

Statistical Class.	France.	Federal Republic of Germany.	Iraq.	Italy.	Japan	Netherlands	Poland.	South Africa.	U.S.S.R.	United States of America.	Other Countries.	Total All Countries.
Year ended June, 1964.p												
1. Foodstuffs of animal origin ..	1,478	1,231	274	1,497	6,660	409	..	386	..	82,028	18,134	181,623
2. Foodstuffs of vegetable origin; non-alcoholic beverages ..	325	11,580	4,309	816	47,032	3,638	..	277	39,657	10,903	44,603	363,377
3. Spirituous and alcoholic liquors ..	..	2	..	2	19	..	..	9	..	26	660	2,769
4. Tobacco ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	259	890
5. Live animals, incl. birds ..	..	..	..	..	28	..	..	2	..	228	1,050	2,395
6. Animal substances, not food-stuffs ..	65,778	29,888	247	48,008	144,070	1,235	7,612	2,041	16,996	22,868	43,838	528,227
7. Vegetable substances and fibres; cork and manufactures; and synthetic fibres ..	9	155	..	63	33	28	..	25	..	559	308	1,930
8. Yarns and manufactured fibres, textiles and apparel ..	26	10	..	216	326	4	..	106	2	441	757	7,330
9. Oils, fats and waxes ..	19	29	1	135	2,871	496	..	1,718	..	124	4,309	28,933
10. Pigments, paints, varnishes ..	1	..	..	8	17	33	..	63	..	34	612	1,331
11. Rocks, minerals and hydrocarbons ..	602	691	5	533	23,813	720	112	58	..	7,091	2,727	47,115
12A. Metals and metal manufactures ..	125	1,538	116	2,401	14,150	470	6	1,856	..	7,608	15,960	111,896
B. Dynamo electrical machinery, etc. ..	13	29	16	17	16	73	..	115	..	321	1,654	7,745
C. Machines and machinery (except dynamo electrical) ..	133	157	8	136	437	42	..	1,294	..	572	5,329	20,745
13. Rubber and leather and manufactures thereof ..	3	64	5	17	115	34	..	254	..	248	535	5,389
14. Wood and wicker ..	2	12	..	3	1	34	..	824	..	225	535	3,096
15. Earthenware, cement, china, glass and stoneware ..	1	6	..	2	2	4	..	67	10	8	277	1,696
16. Pulp, paper, paper manufactures and stationery ..	6	7	..	7	165	4	..	60	..	168	912	6,497
17. Sporting material, toys, fancy goods, jewellery and time-pieces ..	33	193	..	7	2,526	11	..	100	..	368	207	5,322
18. Optical, surgical and scientific instruments ..	12	68	..	10	33	6	..	89	3	378	317	3,686
19. Chemicals, medicinal and pharmaceutical products, etc. ..	59	155	1	14	1,760	68	..	104	..	1,411	2,279	12,954
20. Miscellaneous ..	153	419	7	216	274	259	3	229	24	4,404	8,793	33,007
21. Gold and silver; bronze specie ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	1,869	10,073
Total, 1963-64 ..	68,778	46,234	4,989	54,108	244,348	7,568	7,733	9,677	56,692	140,019	155,924	1,393,026
Total, 1962-63 ..	52,985	34,184	443	44,028	173,082	7,170	6,216	9,491	14,616	132,906	125,366	1,075,906

OVERSEA TRADE
BALANCE OF PAYMENTS
(\$ million.)
YEARS.

Particulars.	1959-60.	1960-61.	1961-62.	1962-63.	1963-64p.
CURRENT ACCOUNT(a)—					
Exports f.o.b.(b)	932	926	1,067	1,065	1,374
Imports f.o.b.(b)	911	1,035	857	1,032	1,124
Balance of Trade	21	-109	210	33	250
Invisible credits—					
Transportation	70	82	81	89	100
Travel	10	14	16	14	18
Property income	26	31	40	38	44
Government	22	20	22	24	33
Other	56	63	66	73	92
Invisible debits—					
Transportation	136	164	139	155	168
Travel	36	42	41	45	51
Property income	168	164	148	180	202
Government	29	26	27	28	31
Other	66	73	79	89	104
Balance on Current Account ..	-230	-368	1	-226	-19
CAPITAL ITEMS(a)—					
Government loans overseas ..	35	12	6	47	11
Other official capital movements ..	2	-19	..	-10	-40
Marketing authorities .. ..	..	-3	-33	5	15
Other identified capital movements ..	187	228	140	214	263
Balancing item	14	110	-25	44	..
Net Apparent Capital Inflow ..	238	328	88	300	249
Monetary Movements—					
Change in net I.M.F. position ..	11	-78	79	12	..
Change in international reserves ..	-4	39	10	65	228
Other	1	-1	..	-3	2
Net Monetary Movements ..	8	-40	89	74	230

QUARTERS.

Particulars.	June quarter, 1963.	Sept. quarter, 1963.	Dec. quarter, 1963.	March, quarter, 1964.	June quarter, 1964.	Sept. quarter, 1964.p
CURRENT ACCOUNT(a)—						
Exports f.o.b.(b)	286	314	358	352	350	302
Imports f.o.b.(b)	264	272	262	281	309	329
Balance of Trade	22	42	96	71	41	-27
Invisible credits—						
Transportation	23	23	25	26	26	27
Travel	3	4	4	5	5	5
Property income	10	10	11	11	12	13
Government	7	7	9	8	9	8
Other	20	20	23	25	24	26
Invisible debits—						
Transportation	41	40	40	42	46	46
Travel	15	11	9	13	18	12
Property income	41	50	47	49	56	48
Government	8	7	8	8	8	8
Other	24	25	26	25	28	29
Balance on Current Account ..	-44	-27	38	9	-39	-91
CAPITAL ITEMS(a)—						
Government loans overseas ..	17	-2	25	-11	-1	1
Other official capital movements ..	-8	-14	-25	1	-2	-7
Marketing authorities	-1	8	3	..	4	20
Other identified capital movements ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Balancing item	82	79	85	29	70	60
Net Apparent Capital Inflow ..	90	71	88	19	71	74
Monetary Movements—						
Change in net I.M.F. position ..	12	..	..	..	..	..
Change in international reserves ..	35	41	128	28	31	-17
Other	-1	3	-2	..	1	..
Net Monetary Movements ..	46	44	126	28	32	-17

(a) For current account balances, minus sign (—) denotes deficit; for capital items other than monetary movements, minus sign (—) denotes outflow; for monetary movements, minus sign (—) denotes decrease in international reserves or net I.M.F. position or an increase in foreign holdings of Australian currency.
(b) The amounts shown represent the recorded trade figures adjusted for balance of payments purposes. Adjustments affect both coverage and valuation.

SECTION V.—TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION. **OVERSEA SHIPPING—ENTRANCES AND CLEARANCES, AUSTRALIA.**

Year.	Entrances.				Clearances.			
	With Cargo.		With Cargo and in Ballast.		With Cargo.		With Cargo and in Ballast.	
	No.	'000 Net Tons.	No.	'000 Net Tons.	No.	'000 Net Tons.	No.	'000 Net Tons.
1959-60 ..	2,405	12,447	2,976	14,478	2,287	9,663	2,969	14,396
1960-61 ..	2,657	14,289	3,382	17,269	2,729	11,904	3,396	17,048
1961-62 ..	2,511	14,071	3,599	18,858	2,927	13,199	3,611	18,804
1962-63 ..	2,611	15,119	3,411	18,958	2,658	12,412	3,351	18,626
1963-64 ..	2,657	15,474	3,711	20,713	3,046	14,944	3,758	20,903

OVERSEA AND INTERSTATE TONNAGE OF CARGO—DISCHARGED AND SHIPPED. ('000 tons.)

NOTE.—Part of the cargo is recorded in tons weight and part in tons measurement. As the total cannot be stated accurately as either tons weight or tons measurement, each is recorded and published separately. "1 ton measurement" equals 40 cubic feet.

State or Territory, and Year.	Discharged.				Shipped.			
	Interstate.		Oversea.		Interstate.		Oversea.	
	Tons Weight.	Tons Measurement.	Tons Weight.	Tons Measurement.	Tons Weight.	Tons Measurement.	Tons Weight.	Tons Measurement.

NINE MONTHS ENDED MARCH, 1963.

New South Wales ..	4,827	145	4,980	995	2,792	86	3,412	310
Victoria ..	1,616	318	5,376	962	1,451	314	2,013	376
Queensland ..	957	80	407	189	550	22	1,871	72
South Australia ..	1,535	45	533	255	3,630	16	1,291	152
Western Australia ..	483	80	2,920	104	1,805	22	2,198	70
Tasmania ..	718	355	240	40	429	379	129	41
Northern Territory ..	50	..	37	..	5	..	7	..
Australia ..	10,186	1,023	14,493	2,545	10,662	839	10,921	1,021

NINE MONTHS ENDED MARCH, 1964.

New South Wales ..	6,025	95	5,338	1,200	2,824	67	4,995	349
Victoria ..	1,995	370	5,059	1,012	1,105	450	2,661	425
Queensland ..	1,112	160	499	220	543	57	2,640	81
South Australia ..	1,184	58	1,436	304	5,017	18	1,977	150
Western Australia ..	480	72	3,085	108	2,104	31	2,471	89
Tasmania ..	783	335	226	37	438	286	114	86
Northern Territory ..	53	6	50	..	5	..	3	1
Australia ..	11,632	1,096	15,693	2,881	12,036	909	14,861	1,181

Australia—								
1962-63 ..	13,882	1,306	19,497	3,397	14,340	1,100	15,405	1,545
1961-62 ..	13,318	1,427	17,508	2,763	13,658	1,186	17,178	1,547
1960-61 ..	13,130	1,622	17,265	3,801	13,713	1,473	13,748	1,551
1959-60 ..	12,535	1,562	15,458	3,263	12,923	1,360	10,108	1,479
1958-59 ..	12,236	1,288	14,232	2,666	12,345	1,047	8,646	1,469

OVERSEA SHIPPING FREIGHT RATES FROM AUSTRALIA TO VARIOUS COUNTRIES AT 30th SEPTEMBER, 1964.

NOTE.—Commodities such as wheat, sugar, petroleum oils, etc., are mainly transported in bulk, usually by vessels on charter, and often no freight rate is available.

(1 Ton Measurement = 40 Cubic Feet.)

UNITED KINGDOM AND CONTINENT.					Rates—Sterling.
Butter (Refrigerator) .. .. .	..	..	..	..	11s. 6d. per box (56 lb.).
Cheese (Refrigerator) .. .. .	..	..	..	..	2 1/4 d. per lb.
Eggs (in shell) .. .. .	..	..	..	..	342s. 3d. per ton measurement.
Meats—					
Preserved by Cold Process (Refrigerator)—					
Beef .. .. .	..	..	..	..	3.51d. per lb.
Lamb .. .. .	..	..	..	..	4.33d. " "
Mutton .. .. .	..	..	..	..	3.51d. " "
Beef, Lamb and Mutton (in Cartons) .. .. .	..	..	..	..	2.53d. " "
Rabbits .. .. .	..	..	..	..	267s. 9d. " ton measurement.
Preserved in tins .. .. .	..	..	..	..	224s. 6d. " "
Sausage Casings—(dried)—cases or casks .. .. .	..	..	..	..	353s. 3d. frozen, 224s. 6d. dry per ton measurement.
Milk and Cream (condensed) .. .. .	..	..	..	..	224s. 6d. per ton measurement.
Dried and Canned Fruits .. .. .	..	..	..	..	178s. per ton measurement.
Fruits, Fresh (Refrigerator)—					
Apples and Pears .. .. .	..	..	..	..	12s. 9d. per bushel case.
Citrus .. .. .	..	..	..	..	13s. 11d. " " "
Grain and Pulse, unprepared—					
Wheat—Parcels .. .. .	..	..	..	..	120s. per ton weight.
Barley (in bags) .. .. .	..	..	..	..	122s. 6d. " " "
Oats (in bags) .. .. .	..	..	..	..	132s. 6d. " " "
Grain and Pulse, prepared—Flour, Wheaten .. .. .	..	..	..	..	147s. 6d. " " "
Wine .. .. .	..	..	..	..	213s. 6d. per ton measurement.
Hides and Skins—					
Calf .. .. .	..	..	..	..	1 1/2 d. per lb. (dry in bales).
Sheep—dumped .. .. .	..	..	..	..	2 1/2 d. " "
Other .. .. .	..	..	..	..	5 1/2 d. " "
Pearl-shell .. .. .	..	..	..	..	224s. 6d. per ton measurement.
Wool—					
Greasy .. .. .	..	..	..	..	3.74d. per lb.
Scoured and Washed .. .. .	..	..	..	..	4.69d. " " "
Tops .. .. .	..	..	..	..	4.77d. " " (net).
Ore in Casks, Bags or Drums .. .. .	..	..	..	..	139s. " " "
Copper .. .. .	..	..	..	..	122s. 6d. per ton weight.
Lead .. .. .	..	..	..	..	110s. " " "
Steel Billets (20 to 30 feet) .. .. .	..	..	..	..	100s. " " "
Zinc Ingots (ex Risdon) .. .. .	..	..	..	..	88s. 6d. " " "
Leather .. .. .	..	..	..	..	494s. " " "
CEYLON. (All rates plus congestion charge of 25 per cent.)					
Flour, Wheaten .. .. .	..	..	..	..	155s. per ton weight.
Milk and Cream—					
Condensed .. .. .	..	..	..	..	262s. 6d. per ton measurement.
Frozen .. .. .	..	..	..	..	452s. 6d. " " "
General Cargo .. .. .	..	..	..	..	262s. 6d. " " weight or measurement.
INDIA.					
Milk Products in Cases, Cartons, etc. .. .. .	..	..	..	..	200s. per ton measurement.
Wheat in Bags .. .. .	..	..	..	..	150s. 6d. " weight.
Wool—					
Greasy .. .. .	..	..	..	..	3.24d. per lb.
Scoured, etc. .. .. .	..	..	..	..	4.15d. " " "
Zinc Bars .. .. .	..	..	..	..	122s. 6d. per ton weight.
General Cargo .. .. .	..	..	..	..	235s. " " " or measurement.
SOUTH AFRICA.					
Wool—					
Greasy .. .. .	..	..	..	..	3.50d. per lb.
Scoured, etc. .. .. .	..	..	..	..	4.28d. " " "
General Cargo .. .. .	..	..	..	..	224d. per ton weight or measurement
CHINA.					
					Rates—Australian.
Flour .. .. .	..	..	..	..	145s. per 2,000 lb.
Wheat .. .. .	..	..	..	..	150s. per ton net.
Wool—					
Greasy .. .. .	..	..	..	..	3d. per lb.
Scoured, etc. .. .. .	..	..	..	..	3.49d. per lb.
General Cargo .. .. .	..	..	..	..	262s. 6d. per ton weight or measurement.
HONG KONG.					
Sugar .. .. .	..	..	..	..	147s. per ton weight.
Wheat .. .. .	..	..	..	..	150s. " " " net.
Wool—					
Greasy .. .. .	..	..	..	..	3d. per lb.
Scoured, etc. .. .. .	..	..	..	..	3.49d. per lb.
General Cargo .. .. .	..	..	..	..	262s. 6d. per ton weight or measurement.

Oversea Shipping Freight Rates from Australia to Various Countries
at 30th SEPTEMBER, 1964—continued.
(1 Ton Measurement = 40 Cubic Feet.)

				<i>Rates—Australian.</i>		
JAPAN.						
Cattle Hides, Wet Salted	..	..	..	..	262s. 6d.	per ton weight.
Coal	..	..	..	..	214s.	" " "
Copper Ores and Concentrates—						
Parcels	..	..	..	..	161s. 6d.	" " "
Bulk	..	..	..	..	126s.	" " "
Iron and Steel Scrap—						
Loose	..	..	..	..	240s.	" " "
4-cwt. Drums	..	..	..	..	190s.	" " "
Over 4-cwt. Drums	..	..	..	..	170s.	" " "
Iron, Pig	..	..	..	..	105s.	" " "
Lead Ores and Concentrates—						
Parcels	..	..	..	..	160s.	" " "
Bulk	..	..	..	..	126s.	" " "
Sugar	..	..	..	..	147s.	" " "
Wheat	..	..	..	..	150s.	" " "
Wool—						net.
Greasy	..	..	..	..	3.32d.	lb.
Scoured, etc.	..	..	..	..	3.86d.	" "
Zinc Ores and Concentrates—						
Parcels	..	..	..	..	161s. 6d.	ton weight.
Bulk	..	..	..	..	126s.	" " "
General Cargo	..	..	..	..	262s. 6d.	" " " or measurement.
CANADA EAST COAST AND ST. LAWRENCE PORTS TO MONTREAL.				<i>Rates—Canadian Dollars.</i>		
Fruit—						
Canned	..	..	..	..	39.10	per ton measurement.
Dried	..	..	..	..	33.00	" " "
Preserved	..	..	..	..	42.20	" " "
Wine	..	..	..	..	47.50	" " "
General Cargo	..	..	..	..	47.60	" " weight or measurement.
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA—ATLANTIC AND GULF PORTS.				<i>Rates—U.S. Dollars.</i>		
Beef, Preserved by Cold Process—						
Quarters, etc.	..	..	..	..	4.65	per 100 lb. gross weight.
Cartons	..	..	..	..	4.15	" " net "
Casein	..	..	..	..	47.00	" " ton weight.
Fish, Preserved by Cold Process—						
Loose	..	..	..	..	90.00	" " "
Cartons	..	..	..	..	4.50	" " 100 lb. "
Lead—						
Ores and Concentrates	..	..	..	..	29.00	" " ton weight.
Unwrought	..	..	..	..	19.00	" " "
Mutton, Preserved by Cold Process—						
Carcases	..	..	..	..	5.00	" " 100 lb. gross weight.
Cuts in Cartons	..	..	..	..	4.15	" " net weight.
Pipes and Tubes of Iron and Steel	..	..	..	..	33.00	" " ton weight or measurement.
Wool—						
Greasy	..	..	..	..	5.00	" " 100 lb.
Scoured, etc.	..	..	..	..	6.00	" " "
General Cargo	..	..	..	..	47.60	" " ton weight or measurement.

INTERSTATE, NEW ZEALAND AND ISLANDS SHIPPING FREIGHT RATES.
GENERAL CARGO, 30th SEPTEMBER, 1964.

(Per Ton Weight or Measurement: 1 Ton Meas. = 40 Cubic Feet.)

(These rates are expressed in Australian currency unless otherwise indicated.)

To—	From—				
	Brisbane.	Sydney.		Melbourne.	
	Direct.	Direct.	Trans-shipped at Wellington.	Direct.	Trans-shipped.
	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>
Brisbane	..	155 0	..	200 0	..
Sydney	147 6	..
Melbourne	..	157 0	..	..	..
Adelaide	..	185 0	..	144 6	..
Fremantle	..	250 0	..	275 0	..
Hobart	..	147 0	..	..	(a) 162 6
Launceston	..	147 0	..	125 0	..
Devonport, Burnie	..	147 0	..	(a) 140 0	..
Darwin	..	258 6	..	276 0	..
Auckland(e)	..	177 6	(d) 266 3	177 6	..
Wellington(e)	(d) 184 6	(d) 177 6	..	(d) 177 6	..
Lyttleton(e)	..	177 6	(d) 266 3	177 6	..
Dunedin(e)	..	177 6	(d) 266 3	177 6	..
New Hebrides—Vila and Santo	..	300 0	..	..	(b) 370 0
Norfolk Island	..	240 0	..	..	(b) 310 0
Panna—					
Port Moresby and Samarai	..	250 0	..	250 0	(b) 320 0
New Guinea—					
Lae, Madang and Rabaul	..	260 0	..	260 0	(b) 330 0

(a) Trans-shipped at Launceston. (b) Trans-shipped at Sydney. (c) Rates expressed in sterling. (d) Plus Wellington Harbour Improvement Charges at 2s. 3d.

NOTE.—Cargo carried on roll-on roll-off vessels between the mainland and Tasmania is charged at a rate per square foot of deck space occupied and varies according to the height of the load.

GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.

System.	1958-59.	1959-60.	1960-61.	1961-62.	1962-63.
ROUTE-MILEAGE OPEN AT END OF YEAR.					
Commonwealth ..	2,252	2,252	2,252	2,252	2,252
New South Wales ..	6,103	6,108	6,062	6,063	6,055
Victoria ..	4,333	4,290	4,291	4,291	4,265
Queensland ..	6,426	6,407	6,324	6,077	6,077
South Australia ..	2,533	2,533	2,533	2,532	2,535
Western Australia ..	4,117	4,120	4,123	3,851	3,797
Tasmania ..	567	538	517	516	516
Australia..	26,331	26,248	26,102	25,582	25,497

REVENUE TRAIN-MILES.
(’000.)

Commonwealth ..	2,018	2,141	2,343	2,453	2,549
New South Wales ..	35,195	36,781	37,897	37,446	37,361
Victoria ..	18,426	18,282	18,232	18,903	19,477
Queensland ..	19,509	19,056	18,312	17,563	17,952
South Australia ..	6,890	6,887	6,905	6,737	6,727
Western Australia ..	7,708	7,962	7,819	8,065	7,550
Tasmania ..	1,539	1,550	1,516	1,415	1,322
Australia..	91,285	92,659	93,024	92,582	92,938

PASSENGER-JOURNEYS.
(’000.)

Commonwealth ..	259	275	303	315	334
New South Wales ..	236,030	236,573	235,416	234,638	235,169
Victoria ..	163,483	158,294	149,929	152,768	152,727
Queensland ..	33,457	32,347	28,876	26,700	26,081
South Australia ..	16,805	17,038	15,574	15,176	14,922
Western Australia ..	14,615	13,879	12,661	11,906	11,537
Tasmania ..	2,344	2,292	2,103	1,816	1,558
Australia..	466,993	460,698	444,862	443,319	442,328

GOODS AND LIVESTOCK CARRIED.
(’000 Tons.)

Commonwealth ..	1,405	1,482	1,738	1,958	2,230
New South Wales ..	19,700	22,127	24,104	24,050	23,641
Victoria ..	9,295	9,687	10,977	10,350	10,841
Queensland ..	8,373	8,116	7,981	8,153	8,736
South Australia ..	4,207	4,036	4,537	4,616	4,503
Western Australia ..	3,913	4,533	4,833	5,342	4,793
Tasmania ..	1,138	1,191	1,192	1,096	1,165
Australia..	48,031	51,172	55,362	55,565	55,909

Government Railways—continued.

System.	1958-59	1959-60.	1960-61.	1961-62.	1962-63.
EARNINGS.(a)					
(£'000.)					
Commonwealth ..	4,817	5,327	6,036	6,241	6,979
New South Wales ..	75,930	83,563	89,751	88,351	91,241
Victoria ..	38,150	39,190	42,987	42,557	43,439
Queensland ..	36,169	35,671	36,530	36,159	37,622
South Australia ..	12,856	12,758	13,870	13,924	13,836
Western Australia ..	13,516	14,846	16,317	17,549	16,460
Tasmania ..	2,707	2,808	2,732	2,703	2,799
Australia..	184,145	194,163	208,223	207,484	212,376

WORKING EXPENSES.					
(£'000.)					
Commonwealth ..	3,647	4,154	4,629	5,165	6,643
New South Wales ..	71,102	76,492	79,556	79,595	79,326
Victoria ..	38,119	39,542	41,627	42,906	43,500
Queensland ..	37,461	38,309	38,529	38,085	37,718
South Australia ..	15,102	15,325	15,310	15,603	15,492
Western Australia ..	16,307	16,907	17,147	17,454	17,303
Tasmania ..	3,215	3,363	3,545	3,439	3,335
Australia..	184,953	194,092	200,343	202,247	203,317

NET EARNINGS.					
(£'000.)					
Commonwealth ..	1,170	1,173	1,407	1,076	336
New South Wales ..	4,828	7,071	10,195	8,756	11,915
Victoria ..	31	-352	1,360	-349	-61
Queensland ..	-1,292	-2,638	-1,999	-1,926	-96
South Australia ..	-2,246	-2,567	-1,440	-1,679	-1,656
Western Australia ..	-2,791	-2,061	-830	95	-843
Tasmania ..	-508	-555	-813	-736	-536
Australia..	-808	71	7,880	5,237	9,059

RATIO OF WORKING EXPENSES TO EARNINGS.
(Per Cent.)

Commonwealth ..	75.72	77.98	76.68	82.75	95.19
New South Wales ..	93.64	91.54	88.64	90.09	86.94
Victoria ..	99.92	100.90	96.84	100.82	100.14
Queensland ..	103.57	107.40	105.47	105.33	100.25
South Australia ..	117.47	120.11	110.38	112.06	111.97
Western Australia ..	120.65	113.88	105.08	99.46	105.13
Tasmania ..	118.79	119.77	129.75	127.21	119.13
Australia..	100.43	99.96	96.22	97.47	95.73

(a) Excludes Government grants.

NOTE.— Minus sign (—) denotes loss.

Government Railways—continued.

The tables on this page are prepared from quarterly statements supplied by each Government Railway, and figures therein are not completely comparable with those shown in preceding pages, which are derived, in the main, from the Annual Reports of the Government Railways.

Particulars.	C'wealth.	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'land. (a)	S.A.(b)	W.A.(b)	Tas.	Total.
YEAR ENDED JUNE, 1963.								
Route Miles open ..	2,252	6,063	4,291	6,008	2,532	3,851	515	25,512
Train-miles '000	1,934	28,303	14,558	13,264	5,037	5,595	1,003	69,694
Earnings(c)—								
Coaching (Passengers, Parcels, Mails, etc.) £'000	917	20,675	10,550	4,190	1,561	1,258	144	39,295
Goods, including Livestock and Minerals ..	3,977	46,138	19,929	23,555	7,997	10,118	1,924	113,638
Miscellaneous ..	388	144	2,172	(d)	743	732	61	4,240
Total Earnings(c) ..	5,282	66,957	32,651	27,745	10,301	12,108	2,129	157,173
Working Expenses £'000	4,965	57,686	32,360	27,618	11,463	11,532	2,248	147,872
Net Earnings ..	317	9,271	291	127	-1,162	576	-119	9,301
Ratio of Working Expenses to Earnings %	94.01	86.15	99.11	99.54	111.28	95.24	105.56	94.08
Earnings per Train-mile	54s. 7d.	47s. 4d.	44s. 10d.	41s. 10d.	40s. 11d.	43s. 3d.	42s. 6d.	45s. 1d.
Working Expenses per Train-mile ..	51s. 4d.	40s. 9d.	44s. 5d.	41s. 8d.	45s. 6d.	41s. 3d.	44s. 10d.	42s. 5d.
Passenger-journeys '000	252	192,069	114,678	20,340	10,403	8,694	1,188	347,624
Freight Carried—								
Livestock '000 tons	60	382	235	477	151	101	25	1,431
Coal and ..	1,118	7,183	1,510	1,284	43	508	238	11,884
Coke ..	44	1,534	65	1,060	944	290	17	3,954
Other Minerals ..	455	8,629	6,165	3,718	2,098	2,519	612	24,196
Other Goods ..								
Total Freight ..	1,677	17,728	7,975	6,539	3,236	3,418	892	41,465

YEAR ENDED JUNE, 1964.

Route Miles open ..	2,252	6,055	4,265	6,008	2,514	3,677	500	25,271
Train-miles .. '000	2,668	39,411	20,113	18,848	6,666	7,506	1,322	96,534
Earnings(c)—								
Coaching (Passengers, Parcels, Mails, etc.) .. £'000	1,197	28,743	14,129	5,702	2,150	1,687	182	53,790
Goods, including Livestock and Minerals ..	5,916	72,323	29,365	35,414	11,049	14,894	2,569	172,130
Miscellaneous ..	566	178	2,895	(d)	1,038	1,014	83	5,774
Total Earnings(c) ..	7,679	101,244	46,389	41,116	14,837	17,595	2,834	231,694
Working Expenses £'000	7,158	88,708	45,756	39,048	15,533	16,125	3,192	215,520
Net Earnings ..	521	12,536	633	2,068	-696	1,470	-358	16,174
Ratio of Working Expenses to Earnings %	93.22	87.62	98.64	94.97	104.69	91.65	112.64	93.02
Earnings per Train-mile	57s. 7d.	51s. 4d.	46s. 2d.	43s. 8d.	44s. 6d.	46s. 11d.	42s. 10d.	48s. 0d.
Working Expenses per Train-mile ..	53s. 8d.	45s. 0d.	45s. 6d.	41s. 5d.	46s. 7d.	43s. 0d.	48s. 3d.	44s. 8d.
Passenger-journeys '000	338	263,796	153,396	25,718	15,227	10,814	1,425	470,714
Freight Carried—								
Livestock '000 tons	83	553	312	717	152	115	27	1,959
Coal and ..	1,630	9,828	2,289	2,522	59	704	199	17,231
Coke ..	57	2,355	93	1,418	1,372	665	33	5,993
Other Minerals ..	708	13,144	9,438	4,549	3,630	3,703	896	36,068
Other Goods ..								
Total Freight ..	2,478	25,880	12,132	9,206	5,213	5,187	1,155	61,251

(a) Excludes South Brisbane-Border section of the Uniform Gauge Line (69 route-miles).
 (b) Financial details include road motors. (c) Excludes Government grants. (d) Included with Coaching.

NOTE.—Minus sign (—) denotes loss.

GOVERNMENT AND MUNICIPAL TRAMWAYS, TROLLEY BUSES AND OMNIBUSES.

Mileages.

State and Year.	Route-miles Open at 30th June.			Vehicle-miles.		
	Tramway.	Trolley-bus.	Omnibus.	Tramway.	Trolley-bus.	Omnibus.
				'000.	'000.	'000.
1962-63—						
New South Wales	156	20	556	18,547	1,143	44,034
Victoria	60	23	280	7,319	704	7,341
Queensland	7	17	115	497	(a)	5,796
South Australia .. ..	..	28	3,765	..	1,353	10,234
Western Australia .. ..	..	..	808	..	..	17,564
Tasmania .. ..	..	..	35	..	..	4,863
Northern Territory .. ..	..	..	59	..	..	409
Australian Capital Territory .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1,442
Australia	223	88	5,741	26,363	3,200	91,683
Australia—						
1961-62	229	88	5,783	28,034	3,890	89,757
1960-61	238	92	5,419	30,010	4,558	85,924
1959-60(b)	275	92	5,773	(c) 34,379	(d) 5,444	81,755
1958-59(b)	286	105	5,664	(c) 37,659	(d) 5,277	78,881

(a) Included with Omnibus mileage for New South Wales.

(b) Excludes Northern Territory. (d) See note (c).

(c) Includes trolley-bus

Operations.

State and Year.	Passenger-journeys.			Gross Revenue	Working Expenses	Ratio of Working Expenses to Gross Revenue.
	Tramway.	Trolley-bus.	Omnibus.	(a)	(b)	
	'000.	'000.	'000.	£'000.	£'000.	%
1962-63—						
New South Wales	168,275	8,582	265,569	12,385	13,951	112.65
Victoria	67,133	3,574	32,634	8,553	8,457	98.88
Queensland	2,521	(c)	29,372	3,964	3,994	100.75
South Australia .. ..	..	(c)	51,944	2,718	2,583	95.03
Western Australia .. ..	..	(c)	52,146	2,680	2,979	111.16
Tasmania .. ..	..	..	25,145	1,151	1,380	119.88
Northern Territory .. ..	..	..	781	47	71	152.44
Australian Capital Territory .. ..	..	..	4,447	199	257	129.12
Australia	237,929	12,156	462,038	31,697	33,672	106.23
Australia—						
1961-62	(d) 248,396	(d) 16,131	(d) 453,418	31,757	34,206	107.71
1960-61	265,473	(e) 19,461	440,822	31,800	34,382	108.12
1959-60(f)	(g) 312,913	25,403	420,360	31,817	33,629	105.70
1958-59(f)	(g) 346,957	25,720	404,676	31,132	32,338	103.87

(a) Excludes Government Grants.

(b) Includes depreciation.

(c) Included with Omnibus.

(d) Tasmanian tram and trolley-bus journeys are included with omnibus until trams ceased to operate in October, 1960.

(e) Western Australian trolley-bus included with Omnibus.

(f) Excludes Northern Territory.

(g) Includes trolley-bus journeys in New South Wales.

REGISTRATIONS OF NEW MOTOR VEHICLES.

NOTE.—Defence Service vehicles are excluded from registrations.

Vehicles and Period.	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
THREE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER, 1964.									
Motor Cars and Station wagons	32,926	24,191	12,944	9,307	5,909	2,529	314	935	89,055
Other Motor Vehicles ..	7,299	4,898	3,940	1,855	1,781	688	191	142	20,794
Motor Cycles ..	586	210	382	237	98	11	8	8	1,540
Total ..	40,811	29,299	17,266	11,399	7,788	3,228	513	1,085	111,389
Total—									
1963-64 ..	146,126	107,607	59,468	41,174	32,581	12,664	1,712	4,263	405,595
1962-63 ..	129,978	92,754	47,412	34,019	30,282	11,061	1,143	3,780	350,429
1961-62 ..	105,681	72,719	34,002	24,373	23,577	8,765	1,126	3,118	273,361
1960-61 ..	110,534	83,160	34,295	27,943	21,802	8,841	954	2,661	290,190
1959-60 ..	113,098	89,669	39,070	27,693	21,214	8,736	937	2,407	302,824

CENSUS OF MOTOR VEHICLES, 31st DECEMBER, 1962.

Type of Vehicle.

State or Territory.	Motor Cars.	Station Wagons.	Other Motor Vehicles.				Motor Cycles.	Total Motor Vehicles.	Tractors, Plant and Equipment, Trailers.
			Utilities.	Panel Vans.	Trucks.	Omni-buses.			
New South Wales ..	742,947	85,746	137,138	49,479	87,492	5,004	20,398	1,128,204	133,019
Victoria ..	611,497	69,528	94,470	31,328	79,481	3,409	15,802	905,515	56,789
Queensland ..	258,942	31,253	92,128	13,359	40,952	1,836	14,680	453,150	57,288
South Australia ..	220,010	18,895	38,539	9,678	32,666	1,580	16,717	338,085	61,988
Western Australia ..	149,799	15,838	37,784	8,585	27,797	1,365	12,257	253,425	43,181
Tasmania ..	69,020	6,677	11,183	6,364	8,788	940	2,101	105,073	15,736
Northern Territory ..	4,321	1,258	2,806	471	1,399	91	325	10,671	1,433
Aust. Cap. Terr. ..	15,591	2,408	1,802	808	969	115	296	21,989	2,359
Total, 31st Dec., 1962	2,072,127	231,603	415,850	120,072	279,544	14,340	82,576	3,216,112	371,793
	No. 64.4	% 7.2	% 12.9	% 3.7	% 8.7	% 0.5	% 2.6	% 100.0	..
Total, 31st Dec., 1955	1,356,682	15,948	(a)361,970	(b) 53,808	256,514	10,142	127,129	2,182,193	(c)
	No. 62.2	% 0.7	% 16.6	% 2.5	% 11.7	% 0.5	% 5.8	% 100.0	(c)

(a) Includes Queensland panel vans.

(b) Queensland panel vans included with utilities.

(c) Not available.

Year of Model: Australia.

Year of Model.		Motor Cars.	Station Wagons.	Other Motor Vehicles.				Total (a)
				Utilities.	Panel Vans.	Trucks.	Omni-buses.	
Before 1940 ..	No.	75,640	120	10,976	973	10,482	331	98,522
	%	3.7	..	2.6	0.8	3.8	2.3	3.1
1940-1949	No.	149,506	928	31,389	4,927	59,880	3,526	250,156
	%	7.2	0.4	7.5	4.1	21.4	24.6	8.0
1950	No.	106,122	1,714	20,197	3,534	17,772	801	150,140
	%	5.1	0.7	4.9	2.9	6.4	5.6	4.8
1951	No.	106,890	2,031	24,184	3,554	17,832	718	155,209
	%	5.2	0.9	5.8	3.0	6.4	5.0	4.9
1952	No.	93,233	1,448	23,765	3,032	14,546	502	136,616
	%	4.5	0.6	5.7	2.5	5.2	4.1	4.4
1953	No.	94,917	1,535	28,464	3,101	12,324	435	140,776
	%	4.6	0.7	6.8	2.6	4.4	3.0	4.5
1954	No.	140,826	2,288	35,499	6,934	15,766	455	201,768
	%	6.8	1.0	8.5	5.8	5.6	3.2	6.4
1955	No.	158,088	3,472	34,394	8,547	16,587	552	221,640
	%	7.6	1.5	8.3	7.1	5.9	3.9	7.1
1956	No.	141,615	3,206	31,022	10,262	15,940	721	202,766
	%	6.8	1.4	7.5	8.5	5.7	5.0	6.5
1957	No.	145,117	6,653	31,089	9,835	14,026	870	207,590
	%	7.0	2.9	7.5	8.2	5.0	6.1	6.6
1958	No.	154,809	21,256	32,412	13,271	15,390	1,007	238,145
	%	7.5	9.2	7.8	11.1	5.5	7.0	7.6
1959	No.	160,455	34,749	32,681	18,086	16,589	1,026	263,586
	%	7.7	15.0	7.9	15.1	5.9	7.2	8.4
1960	No.	195,556	47,988	29,612	13,584	20,808	1,320	308,868
	%	9.4	20.7	7.1	11.3	7.5	9.2	9.9
1961	No.	144,610	42,935	23,615	9,843	15,110	961	237,074
	%	7.0	18.6	5.7	8.2	5.4	6.7	7.6
1962	No.	204,743	61,280	26,551	10,589	16,492	1,025	320,680
	%	9.9	26.4	6.4	8.8	5.9	7.1	10.2
Total	No.	2,072,127	231,603	415,850	120,072	279,544	14,340	3,133,536
	%	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

(a) Excludes motor cycles for which year of model was not recorded in Victoria and South Australia.

CIVIL AVIATION.

Australian Registrations, Licences, Aerodromes, Etc.

Particulars.	At 30th June—				
	1960.	1961.	1962.	1963.	1964.
Registered Aircraft Owners	745	850	938	1,006	1,167
Registered Aircraft	1,360	1,502	1,600	1,787	1,936
Pilots' Licences—					
Private	3,001	3,206	3,627	4,066	4,720
Helicopter		2	2	3	6
Student	3,696	4,151	4,433	4,845	5,676
Helicopter	14	10	12	15	41
Commercial	1,080	1,120	1,244	1,335	1,452
Helicopter	30	34	33	42	53
Airline Transport	1,036	1,130	1,122	1,148	1,273
Flight Navigators' Licences	168	142	141	135	137
Radio Operators' Licences	2,706	3,722	5,407	6,572	7,974
Flight Engineers' Licences	193	200	175	168	216
Aircraft Maintenance Engineers' Licences	2,382	2,492	2,485	2,521	2,560
Aerodromes—(a)					
Government	149	132	129	122	113
Licensed	323	351	359	380	381
Flying Boat Bases and Alighting Areas(a)	13	13	13	13	13

(a) Excludes Territory of Papua and New Guinea.

AUSTRALIAN AIRLINE OPERATIONS, ETC.

Particulars.	1959-60.	1960-61.	1961-62.	1962-63.	Nine Months ended March—	
					1963.	1964.

REGULAR INTERNAL SERVICES.(a)

Hours flown	No.	225,050	219,918	207,210	217,915	162,733	181,330
Miles flown	'000	43,199	42,301	41,176	43,703	32,597	36,401
Paying passengers	No.	2,660,412	2,639,080	2,666,160	2,832,934	2,095,665	2,419,799
Paying passenger-miles	'000	1,132,517	1,109,552	1,119,430	1,221,179	907,214	1,047,454
Freight—							
Tons(b) .. ..	..	65,402	62,971	57,207	59,374	44,708	46,845
Ton-miles(b)	'000	29,240	28,220	26,076	28,271	21,177	22,642
Mail—							
Tons(b) .. ..	..	4,825	5,956	6,311	6,458	4,881	5,392
Ton-miles(b)	'000	2,567	3,064	3,198	3,319	2,500	2,843

OVERSEA SERVICES.(c)

Unduplicated route miles(d)	No.	76,125	72,290	69,712	71,676	71,676	71,023
Hours flown .. ..	..	54,668	57,385	51,066	48,651	36,815	39,426
Miles flown	'000	16,992	20,068	19,240	20,340	15,347	16,382
Paying passengers	No.	232,714	291,258	247,517	294,908	220,454	260,641
Paying passenger-miles	'000	720,099	847,713	836,570	1,014,866	753,318	871,794
Freight—							
Tons(b) .. ..	..	5,150	6,575	6,432	6,755	5,047	5,874
Ton-miles(b)	'000	24,625	30,134	30,429	33,134	25,153	28,019
Mail—							
Tons(b) .. ..	..	2,015	2,335	2,015	2,468	1,867	2,017
Ton-miles(b)	'000	10,351	11,269	11,622	15,190	11,531	12,228

AUSTRALIAN AIRCRAFT (e) ACCIDENTS INVOLVING CASUALTIES.

Number .. ..	..	43	40	46	32	27	28
Persons Killed .. ..	..	44	28	52	16	13	15
Persons Injured .. ..	..	42	38	38	26	24	24

(a) Includes only services operating within the Australian mainland and Tasmania. (b) In terms of short tons (2,000 lb.).

(c) Airlines wholly or partly owned by Australian interests; excludes TEAL from 1st July, 1961.

(d) At end of period. (e) Aircraft and gliders on Australian register irrespective of location of accident.

TELEPHONE SERVICES. (Number.)

Particulars.			Year ended 30th June—				Three months ended September—	
			1961.	1962.	1963.	1964.	1963.	1964.
Services connected(a)	..	No.	1,631,084	1,718,569	1,812,181	1,918,880	1,840,782	1,950,210
Effective applications(b)	..	No.	169,350	205,120	269,499	318,156	80,989	80,494

(a) All single lines plus half duplex lines at end of period.

(b) Net demand for new telephone services.

BROADCASTING—LISTENERS' LICENCES.

In force at—	N.S.W. (a)	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust. (b)	W. Aust.	Tasmania	Total.
30th June, 1960 ..	832,659	606,587	344,198	249,148	171,693	78,900	2,283,185
" " 1961 ..	825,528	589,437	341,101	249,475	172,881	77,420	2,255,842
" " 1962 ..	812,822	585,752	328,525	249,673	168,676	75,014	2,220,462
" " 1963 ..	802,046	607,036	334,566	256,741	165,637	73,760	2,239,786
" " 1964 ..	822,499	622,663	342,321	266,027	174,121	74,159	2,301,790
30th Sept., 1964 ..	822,024	623,522	343,662	263,791	169,917	73,988	2,296,904

(a) Includes Australian Capital Territory.

(b) Includes Northern Territory.

TELEVISION—VIEWERS' LICENCES.

In force at—	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania.	Total
30th June, 1960 ..	409,334	353,091	67,337	84,967	35,604	4,662	954,995
" " 1961 ..	488,516	401,395	113,954	124,808	69,628	18,985	1,217,286
" " 1962 ..	a 564,707	460,558	142,422	143,794	83,951	29,003	1,424,435
" " 1963 ..	a 637,766	530,256	178,391	167,502	95,907	45,503	1,655,325
" " 1964 ..	a 721,043	581,286	214,763	194,430	115,272	55,305	1,882,099
30th Sept., 1964 ..	a 745,022	602,268	227,978	196,840	115,216	57,418	1,944,742

(a) Includes Australian Capital Territory.

ROAD TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS.(a)

(REPORTED TO THE POLICE.)

State or Territory, and Period.	Accidents involving Casualties.	Persons Killed.			Persons Injured.		
		Number.	Per Million of Population.	Per 100,000 Motor Vehicles.	Number.	Per Million of Population.	Per 100,000 Motor Vehicles.

SIX MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER, 1963.

New South Wales	..	9,254	461	113	39	12,585	3,080	1,063
Victoria	..	6,393	373	121	36	8,963	2,910	875
Queensland	..	3,625	214	136	44	5,156	3,280	1,066
South Australia	..	3,074	124	122	35	4,020	3,941	1,145
Western Australia	..	2,028	103	131	38	2,701	3,445	1,007
Tasmania	..	544	34	91	30	809	2,165	709
Northern Territory	..	125	10	347	75	184	6,384	1,382
Australian Capital Territory	..	198	2	26	7	284	3,661	1,029
Australia	..	25,241	1,321	120	38	34,702	3,148	1,001
Australia(b)—								
1962-63	..	48,352	2,575	236	77	66,287	6,072	1,994
1961-62	..	43,783	2,491	236	81	58,524	5,532	1,913
1960-61	..	45,052	2,542	245	88	60,749	5,861	2,093
1959-60	..	44,919	2,468	244	88	60,104	5,923	2,188
1958-59	..	41,766	2,264	228	88	55,359	5,573	2,141

(a) Refers to those accidents (reported to the police) which occurred in public thoroughfares and which resulted in death or in bodily injury to any person to an extent requiring medical or surgical treatment.

(b) Excludes Northern Territory.

SECTION VI.—RETAIL SALES.

NOTE.—Figures in the next two tables relate to retail sales of goods (as distinct from services, accommodation, entertainments, meals, etc.) by establishments selling retail goods from fixed premises (shops, rooms, kiosks, yards). The figures for the years 1956-57 and 1961-62 were obtained from Censuses taken in respect of those years, whereas figures for the other periods shown are estimates based on sample surveys.

All figures shown are on a basis comparable with the 1961-62 Retail Census.

TOTAL RETAIL SALES OF GOODS (EXCLUDING MOTOR VEHICLES, PARTS, PETROL, ETC.).

(£ million.)

Period.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Qld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.(a)
Year—							
1954-55 ..	736.5	523.4	249.6	161.7	132.5	59.0	1,862.7
1955-56 ..	787.7	566.2	265.1	173.9	138.1	62.8	1,993.8
1956-57 ..	817.4	601.2	279.1	181.1	141.2	65.5	2,085.5
1957-58 ..	863.3	627.0	289.6	183.6	149.0	65.5	2,178.0
1958-59 ..	887.7	657.2	300.6	193.6	148.6	69.6	2,257.3
1959-60 ..	968.1	713.9	332.4	218.3	164.6	75.2	2,472.5
1960-61 ..	1,008.7	751.2	347.4	224.5	173.0	81.7	2,586.5
1961-62 ..	1,030.2	758.6	350.8	225.8	180.2	83.0	2,628.6
1962-63(b) ..	1,062.0	780.7	365.7	237.0	186.7	85.6	2,717.7
1963-64(b) ..	1,100.5	830.3	395.1	256.1	198.3	89.1	2,869.4
Quarter—							
1959-60—							
March ..	232.9	168.5	79.7	52.8	40.4	18.2	592.5
June ..	242.0	182.3	83.8	55.6	42.2	19.5	625.4
1960-61—							
September ..	244.6	182.1	86.1	54.3	41.0	19.5	627.6
December ..	282.1	210.5	94.9	61.8	47.6	22.6	719.5
March ..	236.6	176.9	81.4	53.4	41.8	19.4	609.5
June ..	245.4	181.7	85.0	55.0	42.6	20.2	629.9
1961-62—							
September ..	247.3	183.2	85.9	54.2	43.1	19.6	633.3
December ..	283.7	208.4	94.6	61.6	49.3	22.9	720.5
March ..	242.0	177.9	83.2	53.5	43.7	19.6	619.9
June ..	257.2	189.1	87.1	56.5	44.1	20.9	654.9
1962-63—							
September ..	253.3	185.7	87.7	55.9	44.8	20.5	647.9
December ..	296.3	216.6	99.6	64.9	51.5	23.9	752.8
March ..	249.1	182.9	86.9	56.4	44.4	20.0	639.7
June(b) ..	263.3	195.5	91.5	59.8	46.0	21.2	677.3
1963-64(b)—							
September ..	262.3	195.7	95.4	60.1	46.7	21.1	681.3
December ..	306.9	229.5	106.8	69.9	54.4	24.8	792.3
March ..	255.8	196.9	94.2	61.1	47.7	21.3	677.0
June ..	275.5	208.2	98.7	65.0	49.5	21.9	718.8

(a) Excludes Northern Territory and Australian Capital Territory. (b) Subject to revision when more precise information is available relating to trading by new businesses.

TOTAL VALUE OF RETAIL SALES OF GOODS CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO COMMODITY GROUPS—AUSTRALIA.(a)

(All figures are on a basis comparable with the 1961-62 Retail Census.)

(\$ million.)

YEARS.

Commodity Groups.	1958-59.	1959-60.	1960-61.	1961-62. (b)	1962-63. (c)	1963-64. (c)
Groceries	368.8	391.1	416.4	429.2	442.8	465.6
Butchers' Meat	178.2	193.3	210.7	211.1	219.7	229.1
Other Food(d)	308.3	335.0	352.7	365.1	376.0	388.8
Beer, Wine and Spirits(e)	247.5	262.8	269.3	272.9	285.9	294.9
Total Food and Drink	1,102.8	1,182.2	1,249.1	1,278.3	1,324.4	1,378.4
Clothing and Drapery	397.4	434.1	450.4	450.0	459.3	497.9
Footwear	64.6	71.9	76.7	77.2	80.9	84.1
Hardware, China and Glassware(f)	65.6	70.6	72.6	73.1	76.8	76.5
Electrical Goods(g)	154.9	187.0	177.3	174.0	179.9	190.1
Furniture and Floor Coverings	97.7	114.6	117.0	115.0	118.0	129.4
Chemists' Goods	96.9	107.9	121.5	132.9	140.4	150.4
Newspapers, Books and Stationery	72.4	77.6	80.1	83.2	84.7	94.7
Other Goods(h)	205.0	226.6	241.8	244.9	253.3	267.9
Total (excluding Motor Vehicles, Parts, Petrol, etc.)	2,257.3	2,472.5	2,586.5	2,628.6	2,717.7	2,869.4
Motor Vehicles, Parts, Petrol, etc.(i)	691.1	827.3	824.8	801.5	966.8	1,045.0

QUARTERS.

Commodity Groups.	March, 1963.	June, 1963.(c)	Sept., 1963.(c)	Dec., 1963.(c)	March, 1964.(c)	June, 1964.(c)
Groceries	106.6	110.5	114.1	122.8	112.7	116.0
Butchers' Meat	54.2	56.6	56.5	57.3	56.2	59.1
Other Food(d)	95.8	93.0	94.2	100.9	97.3	96.4
Beer, Wine and Spirits(e)	74.4	67.9	65.7	81.8	77.4	70.0
Total Food and Drink	331.0	328.0	330.5	362.8	343.6	341.5
Clothing and Drapery	94.9	123.5	116.1	142.9	105.1	133.8
Footwear	17.0	21.9	19.5	24.1	17.9	22.6
Hardware, China and Glassware(f)	18.2	19.1	17.1	23.3	18.0	18.1
Electrical Goods(g)	41.6	42.2	46.2	52.6	43.7	47.6
Furniture and Floor Coverings	26.1	28.1	31.7	36.8	28.8	32.1
Chemists' Goods	32.8	34.9	35.5	41.9	35.3	37.7
Newspapers, Books and Stationery	21.0	19.9	21.6	27.0	24.0	22.1
Other Goods(h)	57.1	59.7	63.1	80.9	60.6	63.3
Total (excluding Motor Vehicles, Parts, Petrol, etc.)	639.7	677.3	681.3	792.3	677.0	718.8
Motor Vehicles, Parts, Petrol, etc.(i)	233.1	240.2	263.2	271.0	245.4	265.4

(a) Excludes Northern Territory and Australian Capital Territory. (b) Census figures.
 (c) Subject to revision when more precise information is available relating to trading by new businesses.
 (d) Includes Fresh Fruit and Vegetables, Confectionery, Soft Drinks, Ice Cream, Cakes, Pastry, Cooked Provisions, Fish, etc., but excludes some delivered Milk and Bread. (e) Excludes sales made by licensed clubs.
 (f) Excludes Basic Building Materials, Builders' Hardware and Supplies such as Tools of Trade, Paint, etc. (g) Includes Radios, Television and Accessories, Musical Instruments, Domestic Refrigerators, etc. (h) Includes Tobacco, Cigarettes, etc., Jewellery, Sporting Goods, etc., but excludes Grain and Produce, and Business Machines. (i) Includes New and Used Motor Vehicles, Parts, Petrol, etc., but excludes Tractors, Farm Machinery and Implements, Earth-moving Equipment, etc.

INSTALMENT CREDIT FOR RETAIL SALES FINANCED BY RETAIL BUSINESSES AND NON-RETAIL FINANCE BUSINESSES.

The statistics in the following tables cover instalment credit schemes which relate primarily to the financing of retail sales of goods. In general "instalment credit" is defined as relating to schemes in which repayment is made by regular predetermined instalments, and includes Hire Purchase, Time Payment, Budget Account, and Personal Loan Schemes which relate primarily to financing of retail sales of goods. The first three tables include all such credit, whether it is advanced by retail businesses (including finance subsidiaries of retail businesses) or by non-retail finance businesses. The fourth table shows particulars for non-retail finance businesses only.

In this issue, particulars are classified according to type of business, and not according to type of credit as formerly.

Instalment Credit for Retail Sales by Type of Business : Amount Financed, by Commodity Groups, and Balances Outstanding—Australia.

(£ million.)

Period.	Amount Financed during period (excluding Hiring Charges, Interest, Insurance etc.) .				Balances Outstanding at end of period (including Hiring Charges, etc.).
	Motor Vehicles, etc.(a)	Plant and Machinery. (b)	Household and Personal Goods.(c)	Total.	

RETAIL BUSINESSES.

Year—						
1958-59	..	..	11.8	2.4	109.7	123.9
1959-60	..	..	16.3	2.8	128.9	148.0
1960-61	..	..	13.6	2.9	132.6	149.1
1961-62	..	..	10.2	1.4	133.8	145.3
1962-63	..	..	10.5	1.8	140.9	153.2
Quarter ended—						
March, 1963	..	..	2.6	0.4	29.9	32.9
June, 1963	..	..	2.4	0.5	34.9	37.8
Sept., 1963	..	..	3.1	0.4	37.0	40.5
Dec., 1963	..	..	3.0	0.6	44.7	48.3
March, 1964	..	..	2.8	0.4	31.3	34.5

NON-RETAIL FINANCE BUSINESSES.

Year—						
1958-59	..	..	176.3	15.5	62.2	254.0
1959-60	..	..	218.2	18.5	65.9	302.6
1960-61	..	..	185.9	21.1	53.2	260.2
1961-62	..	..	173.0	20.7	42.4	236.2
1962-63	..	..	221.3	23.5	43.1	287.9
Quarter ended—						
March, 1963	..	..	53.9	5.7	10.4	70.0
June, 1963	..	..	54.0	5.7	10.4	70.2
Sept., 1963	..	..	66.2	5.3	10.3	81.8
Dec., 1963	..	..	66.4	8.2	11.5	86.2
March, 1964	..	..	58.4	5.8	10.0	74.2

(a), (b), (c) See footnotes (d), (e) and (f) to next table.

NOTE.—Any discrepancies between totals and sums of components on pages 63-66 inclusive are due to rounding.

**Instalment Credit for Retail Sales (Retail Businesses plus Non-Retail Finance Businesses),
by Type of Instalment Credit : Amount Financed, by Commodity Groups, and
Balances Outstanding—Australia—continued.**
(£ million.)

Period.	Amount Financed during period (excluding Hiring Charges, Interest, Insurance etc.).				Balances Outstanding at end of period (including Hiring Charges, etc.).		
	Motor Vehicles, etc.(a)	Plant and Machinery. (b)	Household and Personal Goods.(c)	Total.			
TOTAL INSTALMENT CREDIT.							
Year—							
1958-59	188.1	17.9	171.9	377.9	472.2
1959-60	234.5	21.3	194.8	450.6	578.5
1960-61	199.5	24.0	185.8	409.2	601.0
1961-62	183.2	22.0	176.2	381.5	584.7
1962-63	231.8	25.3	184.0	441.1	627.7
Quarter ended—							
March, 1963	56.5	6.1	40.4	102.9	621.5
June, 1963	56.4	6.3	45.3	107.9	627.7
Sept., 1963	69.3	5.7	47.2	122.2	640.8
Dec., 1963	69.4	8.7	56.3	134.4	674.7
March, 1964	61.2	6.2	41.3	108.7	672.2

(a), (b), (c) See footnotes (d), (e) and (f) to next table.

Instalment Credit for Retail Sales : Amount Financed (a) on New Agreements by Retail Businesses and Non-Retail Finance Businesses: Commodity Groups, March Quarter, 1964.

(£ million.)

Commodity Group.	N.S.W.(b)	Vic.	Qld.	S.A.(c)	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.
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RETAIL BUSINESSES.

Motor vehicles, tractors, etc.(d)	0.7	0.6	0.5	0.3	0.6	0.1	2.8
Plant and machinery(e) ..	0.1	0.1	0.1	(g)	(g)	(g)	0.4
Household and personal goods(f)	14.8	7.7	4.2	2.4	1.6	0.5	31.3
Total	15.6	8.5	4.7	2.8	2.2	0.6	34.5

NON-RETAIL FINANCE BUSINESSES.

Motor vehicles, tractors, etc.(d)	22.6	14.1	8.7	5.4	5.5	2.1	58.4
Plant and machinery (e) ..	2.4	1.3	1.0	0.4	0.6	0.2	5.8
Household and personal goods(f)	4.0	1.8	2.4	0.9	0.5	0.4	10.0
Total	28.9	17.2	12.1	6.7	6.6	2.7	74.2

TOTAL INSTALMENT CREDIT.

Motor vehicles, tractors, etc.(d)	23.3	14.7	9.2	5.7	6.1	2.2	61.2
Plant and machinery(e) ..	2.5	1.5	1.1	0.4	0.6	0.2	6.2
Household and personal goods(f)	18.8	9.5	6.6	3.3	2.2	0.9	41.3
Total	44.6	25.7	16.8	9.5	8.9	3.3	108.7

(a) Excludes hiring charges, interest, insurance, etc. (b) Includes Australian Capital Territory
(c) Includes Northern Territory. (d) Includes new and used motor cars, motor cycles, commercial vehicles, tractors, caravans, trailers, motor parts and accessories, etc. (e) Includes farm machinery and implements, earth-moving equipment, aircraft, industrial plant and machinery, business machines and equipment (including commercial refrigeration equipment), etc. (f) Includes furniture, furnishings and floor coverings, domestic refrigerators, electrical goods, radios, television, musical instruments, bicycles, motor mowers, clothing, etc. (g) Less than £50,000. Details are available on request.

Note.—See Note at foot of page 63.

Instalment Credit for Retail Sales : Balances Outstanding on Agreements made by Retail Businesses and Non-Retail Finance Businesses. (Including Hiring Charges, Interest, Insurance, etc.).

(£ million.)

At—	N.S.W. (a)	Vic.	Qld.	S.A.(b)	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.
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RETAIL BUSINESSES.

30th June, 1959..	..	58.9	42.3	10.6	10.2	9.9	1.8	133.8
30th June, 1960..	..	70.1	53.4	14.0	16.7	14.8	2.6	171.7
30th June, 1961..	..	78.1	59.6	18.5	20.5	18.7	3.9	199.2
30th June, 1962..	..	82.5	58.5	22.1	19.9	19.1	4.4	206.5
30th June, 1963..	..	88.1	57.5	24.1	19.9	18.2	4.9	212.6
31st March, 1963	..	86.0	58.4	23.9	20.1	18.9	4.9	212.2
30th June, 1963..	..	88.1	57.5	24.1	19.9	18.2	4.9	212.6
30th Sept., 1963	..	86.5	55.3	24.0	19.5	17.7	4.9	207.9
31st Dec., 1963 ..	..	93.3	56.4	25.5	19.7	17.3	5.1	217.2
31st March, 1964	..	90.5	54.8	26.0	19.0	16.3	4.8	211.4

NON-RETAIL FINANCE BUSINESSES.

30th June, 1959..	..	137.8	90.3	50.0	29.6	19.9	10.9	338.4
30th June, 1960..	..	159.2	108.5	62.1	40.1	24.6	12.4	406.8
30th June, 1961..	..	160.3	102.8	58.8	40.7	25.9	13.3	401.7
30th June, 1962..	..	155.8	92.8	53.1	35.5	27.5	13.4	378.2
30th June, 1963..	..	166.7	101.5	59.8	37.8	33.9	15.4	415.1
31st March, 1963	..	164.8	101.6	58.7	36.9	32.0	15.3	409.3
30th June, 1963..	..	166.7	101.5	59.8	37.8	33.9	15.4	415.1
30th Sept., 1963	..	171.8	105.6	63.9	39.6	36.0	16.0	432.8
31st Dec., 1963 ..	..	180.0	111.3	69.7	41.6	38.6	16.4	457.5
31st March, 1964	..	180.8	112.5	71.7	41.7	37.6	16.5	460.8

TOTAL INSTALMENT CREDIT.

30th June, 1959..	..	196.6	132.5	60.6	39.8	29.8	12.7	472.2
30th June, 1960..	..	229.3	161.9	76.1	56.8	39.3	15.1	578.5
30th June, 1961..	..	238.3	162.4	77.3	61.2	44.6	17.1	601.0
30th June, 1962..	..	238.4	151.3	75.2	55.4	46.6	17.8	584.7
30th June, 1963..	..	254.8	159.0	83.9	57.6	52.1	20.2	627.7
31st March, 1963	..	250.8	160.1	82.5	57.0	50.8	20.1	621.5
30th June, 1963..	..	254.8	159.0	83.9	57.6	52.1	20.2	627.7
30th Sept., 1963	..	258.2	160.9	87.9	59.1	53.7	20.9	640.8
31st Dec., 1963 ..	..	273.3	167.6	95.2	61.3	55.9	21.4	674.7
31st March, 1964	..	271.3	167.3	97.7	60.7	53.9	21.3	672.2

(a) Includes Australian Capital Territory.

(b) Includes Northern Territory.

Note.—See Note at foot of page 63.

Instalment Credit for Retail Sales, Financed by Non-Retail Finance Businesses.

(\$ million.)

Period.	N.S.W. (a)	Vic.	Qld.	S.A. (b)	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.
AMOUNT FINANCED DURING PERIOD.(c)							
Year—							
1958-59	103.5	65.8	39.1	22.4	15.1	8.1	254.0
1959-60	113.8	80.4	48.5	30.7	19.8	9.4	302.6
1960-61	102.2	66.6	38.2	26.4	17.7	9.0	260.2
1961-62	96.8	58.0	33.5	19.6	19.3	9.0	236.2
1962-63	113.4	70.3	43.8	24.4	25.2	10.9	287.9
Quarter ended—							
March, 1963	28.1	16.5	10.7	6.1	6.2	2.6	70.0
June, 1963	27.4	16.6	10.9	6.2	6.5	2.6	70.2
Sept., 1963	32.0	19.6	13.1	7.3	6.8	3.0	81.8
Dec., 1963	32.9	21.0	14.8	7.3	7.5	2.7	86.2
March, 1964	28.9	17.2	12.1	6.7	6.6	2.7	74.2

COLLECTIONS DURING PERIOD.(d)							
Year—							
1959-60	123.6	83.2	50.2	29.5	19.5	10.9	317.0
1960-61	133.9	90.0	52.2	32.2	20.6	11.5	340.4
1961-62	126.3	85.0	48.5	30.4	22.5	11.6	324.2
1962-63	130.0	81.3	49.4	29.2	24.8	12.3	327.1
Quarter ended—							
March, 1963	33.8	21.1	12.7	7.7	8.1	3.0	86.4
June, 1963	32.6	20.8	12.5	7.3	5.9	3.2	82.3
Sept., 1963	33.7	20.9	13.2	7.5	6.3	3.3	84.9
Dec., 1963	33.3	21.4	13.5	7.4	6.5	3.2	85.4
March, 1964	34.7	21.3	13.8	8.6	9.4	3.4	91.1

BALANCES OUTSTANDING AT END OF PERIOD.(d)							
Year—							
1958-59	137.8	90.3	50.0	29.6	19.9	10.9	338.4
1959-60	159.2	108.5	62.1	40.1	24.6	12.4	406.8
1960-61	160.3	102.8	58.8	40.7	25.9	13.3	401.7
1961-62	155.8	92.8	53.1	35.5	27.5	13.4	378.2
1962-63	166.7	101.5	59.8	37.8	33.9	15.4	415.1
Quarter ended—							
March, 1963	164.8	101.6	58.7	36.9	32.0	15.3	409.3
June, 1963	166.7	101.5	59.8	37.8	33.9	15.4	415.1
Sept., 1963	171.8	105.6	63.9	39.6	36.0	16.0	432.8
Dec., 1963	180.0	111.3	69.7	41.6	38.6	16.4	457.5
March, 1964	180.8	112.5	71.7	41.7	37.6	16.5	460.8

(a) Includes Australian Capital Territory. (b) Includes Northern Territory. (c) Excludes hiring charges, interest, insurance, etc. (d) Includes hiring charges, interest, insurance, etc.

Note.—See Note at foot of page 63.

SECTION VII.—PRIVATE FINANCE.

CHEQUE-PAYING BANKS.

Average Liabilities within Australia.(a)

(\$'000.)

Period.	Deposits.				Balances due to other Banks. (d)	Bills payable and all other Liabilities.	Total Liabilities.
	Fixed. (b)	Current.		Total.			
		Bearing Interest. (c)	Not Bearing Interest.				

COMMONWEALTH TRADING BANK OF AUSTRALIA.

1959-60..	..	62,527	10,855	181,055	254,437	743	14,461	269,641
1960-61..	..	72,876	14,423	183,857	271,156	1,080	2,589	274,825
1961-62..	..	97,755	15,764	183,690	297,209	941	2,695	300,845
1962-63..	..	103,898	17,133	191,318	312,349	800	3,259	316,408
1963-64..	..	116,524	19,216	208,926	344,666	968	4,114	349,748
Quarter ended—								
June, 1963		105,691	17,858	194,728	318,277	934	3,587	322,798
September, "		107,148	18,379	196,880	322,407	1,100	3,433	326,940
December, "		111,990	18,780	206,306	337,076	1,541	4,684	343,301
March, 1964		114,060	19,090	214,758	347,908	617	4,202	352,727
June, "		132,549	20,580	217,559	370,688	659	4,182	375,529
September, "		146,338	20,954	216,354	383,646	1,438	4,845	389,929

PRIVATE TRADING BANKS.

1959-60..	..	281,237	104,317	1,067,592	1,453,146	4,804	24,008	1,481,958
1960-61..	..	333,886	88,307	1,035,292	1,457,485	21,752	28,414	1,507,651
1961-62..	..	436,028	83,621	989,717	1,509,366	7,457	28,394	1,545,217
1962-63..	..	493,013	96,440	1,002,405	1,591,858	8,613	31,904	1,632,375
1963-64..	..	552,679	109,623	1,085,729	1,748,031	10,015	36,743	1,794,789
Quarter ended—								
June, 1963		513,251	96,967	1,011,751	1,621,969	10,872	34,355	1,667,196
September, "		521,946	103,982	993,333	1,619,261	8,767	32,052	1,660,080
December, "		538,110	111,271	1,065,178	1,714,559	9,228	37,893	1,761,680
March, 1964		556,865	112,767	1,163,170	1,832,802	10,317	38,052	1,881,171
June, "		592,675	110,599	1,119,654	1,822,928	11,688	39,062	1,873,678
September, "		632,177	115,971	1,083,601	1,831,749	9,213	37,154	1,878,116

OTHER CHEQUE-PAYING BANKS.

1959-60..	..	10,309	17,660	44,901	72,870	921	23,838	97,629
1960-61..	..	14,482	20,623	45,790	80,895	1,381	25,624	107,900
1961-62..	..	21,577	21,355	47,109	90,041	1,766	31,374	123,181
1962-63..	..	30,851	19,733	51,296	101,880	1,658	40,553	144,091
1963-64..	..	42,150	21,695	58,465	122,310	1,966	46,106	170,382
Quarter ended—								
June, 1963		33,877	21,627	53,665	109,169	1,576	42,485	153,230
September, "		38,456	22,342	52,332	113,130	1,450	44,323	158,903
December, "		40,138	21,805	55,290	117,233	2,069	45,363	164,665
March, 1964		41,121	20,040	63,459	124,620	2,289	46,811	173,720
June, "		48,730	22,602	62,533	133,865	2,065	47,871	183,801
September, "		48,865	22,931	60,081	131,877	1,716	49,460	183,053

ALL CHEQUE-PAYING BANKS.

1959-60..	..	354,073	132,832	1,293,548	1,780,453	6,468	62,307	1,849,228
1960-61..	..	421,244	123,953	1,264,939	1,809,536	24,213	56,627	1,890,376
1961-62..	..	555,360	120,740	1,220,516	1,896,616	10,164	62,463	1,969,243
1962-63..	..	627,762	133,306	1,245,019	2,006,087	11,071	75,716	2,092,874
1963-64..	..	711,353	150,533	1,353,120	2,215,006	12,950	86,963	2,314,919
Quarter ended—								
June, 1963		652,819	136,452	1,260,144	2,049,415	13,382	80,427	2,143,224
September, "		667,550	144,703	1,242,545	2,054,798	11,317	79,808	2,145,923
December, "		690,238	151,856	1,326,774	2,168,868	12,838	87,940	2,269,646
March, 1964		712,047	151,896	1,441,387	2,305,330	13,223	89,065	2,407,618
June, "		773,953	153,781	1,399,746	2,327,480	14,413	91,115	2,433,008
September, "		827,380	159,856	1,360,036	2,347,272	12,367	91,459	2,451,098

(a) Averages of liabilities at close of business on Wednesdays in periods. (b) Prior to 14th January, 1960, fixed deposits—Australian Governments were included in current deposits bearing interest. (c) See note (b). (d) Includes short-term loans from the Reserve Bank.

Cheque-paying Banks—continued.
Average Assets within Australia.(a)
(£'000.)

Period.	Cash and Cash Balances.(b)	Commonwealth and State Government Securities.		Other Securities.	Loans to Authorized Dealers in the Short-Term Money Market.	Statutory Reserve Deposit Account with Reserve Bank. (d)	Loans, Advances and Bills Discounted. (e)	All Other Assets.	Total Assets.
		Treasury Bills and Seasonal Securities. (c)	Other.						
COMMONWEALTH TRADING BANK OF AUSTRALIA.									
1959-60	11,719	3,043	60,189	2,355	2,556	41,429	183,735	12,817	267,843
1960-61	10,518	1,592	54,007	2,406	4,640	45,835	147,566	14,407	280,971
1961-62	10,842	2,195	84,455	2,347	2,947	35,704	149,711	18,773	306,974
1962-63	10,990	2,978	77,981	2,261	4,078	34,725	165,698	26,953	325,664
1963-64	11,960	5,403	82,185	3,430	4,552	43,441	179,341	26,536	356,848
Quarter ended—									
June, 1963 ..	11,145	2,829	75,655	2,254	4,170	36,423	170,076	26,630	329,182
September, " ..	11,357	1,849	76,578	2,272	5,062	34,696	177,777	26,940	336,531
December, " ..	11,836	4,974	78,118	3,513	6,452	35,558	178,790	28,320	347,561
March, 1964 ..	12,573	8,040	85,449	3,975	3,867	46,821	177,212	25,724	363,661
June, " ..	12,063	6,717	88,282	3,968	2,972	56,084	183,541	25,298	378,925
September, " ..	12,002	6,332	95,364	4,017	3,269	56,418	191,781	26,068	395,251

PRIVATE TRADING BANKS.

1959-60	57,731	24,407	236,890	16,484	21,757	238,774	818,308	92,259	1,506,610
1960-61	61,913	20,733	174,422	19,149	18,971	243,038	902,465	101,457	1,547,148
1961-62	61,007	32,336	285,648	20,247	27,991	181,558	852,477	106,282	1,567,546
1962-63	58,413	31,315	296,390	23,819	27,899	177,079	894,871	135,390	1,645,176
1963-64	56,607	49,387	350,916	26,131	27,655	221,726	927,001	127,856	1,787,279
Quarter ended—									
June, 1963 ..	55,925	33,073	300,679	23,999	23,373	189,598	921,371	123,610	1,671,628
September, " ..	54,285	32,703	300,352	24,507	27,121	174,813	922,755	127,360	1,663,896
December, " ..	56,923	54,026	345,540	25,636	29,702	179,259	922,204	135,973	1,749,263
March, 1964 ..	58,488	84,436	400,079	26,708	29,875	244,325	898,692	126,961	1,869,564
June, " ..	56,753	26,742	357,281	27,635	24,081	285,239	963,982	121,756	1,863,469
September, " ..	56,270	27,115	343,021	28,687	33,869	270,553	989,489	130,128	1,879,132

OTHER CHEQUE-PAYING BANKS.

1959-60	2,970	858	16,952	3,570	6,375	584	88,546	10,348	130,203
1960-61	2,703	733	18,776	4,507	7,035	537	94,507	10,983	139,781
1961-62	5,597	404	21,947	3,719	2,347	471	105,900	11,793	152,178
1962-63	5,399	1,777	22,496	3,957	2,247	450	122,064	12,627	171,017
1963-64	3,226	2,466	31,724	4,228	4,752	510	137,600	14,106	198,612
Quarter ended—									
June, 1963 ..	4,668	2,960	25,507	3,913	2,996	458	128,497	12,721	181,720
September, " ..	2,883	1,440	24,341	3,899	5,087	461	135,472	12,967	186,550
December, " ..	3,045	1,874	27,161	4,165	3,076	476	138,792	13,749	192,338
March, 1964 ..	3,181	4,721	30,362	4,866	4,199	517	139,924	14,335	202,105
June, " ..	3,783	1,782	44,630	3,977	6,515	583	136,302	15,349	212,971
September, " ..	3,624	2,103	41,567	2,813	5,153	507	143,168	14,782	213,717

ALL CHEQUE-PAYING BANKS.

1959-60	72,420	28,308	314,031	22,409	30,688	280,787	1,040,589	115,424	1,904,656
1960-61	75,134	23,058	247,205	26,062	30,646	294,410	1,144,538	126,847	1,967,900
1961-62	77,446	34,935	392,050	26,313	33,285	217,733	1,108,088	136,848	2,026,698
1962-63	74,802	36,070	396,867	30,037	34,224	212,254	1,182,633	174,970	2,141,857
1963-64	71,793	57,256	464,825	33,789	36,959	265,677	1,243,941	168,499	2,342,739
Quarter ended—									
June, 1963 ..	71,738	38,862	401,841	30,166	30,539	226,479	1,219,944	162,961	2,182,530
September, " ..	68,525	35,992	401,271	30,678	37,270	209,070	1,236,004	167,267	2,186,977
December, " ..	71,804	60,874	450,819	33,314	39,230	215,293	1,239,786	178,042	2,289,162
March, 1964 ..	74,242	97,197	515,890	35,549	37,941	291,663	1,215,828	167,020	2,455,330
June, " ..	72,599	35,241	490,243	35,580	33,568	341,906	1,283,825	162,403	2,455,365
September, " ..	71,896	35,550	479,952	35,517	42,291	327,478	1,324,438	170,978	2,488,100

(a) Averages of assets at close of business on Wednesdays in periods. (b) Coin, bullion, Australian notes and cash with Reserve Bank. (c) July, 1962 onward, Treasury Bills and Treasury Notes. (d) Prior to 14th January, 1960, Special Account with Commonwealth Bank. (e) Excludes loans to Authorized Dealers in the Short-term Money Market.

RESERVE BANK OF AUSTRALIA.(a)Central Banking Business (including Note Issue Department) and Rural Credits Department.(b)
(£A'000.)

Period	Notes on Issue.			Statutory Reserve Deposit Account of Trading Banks. (c)	Other Deposits of Trading Banks. (d)	Other Liabilities (excluding Capital and Reserve Funds).	Gold and Foreign Ex-change.	Australian Government Securities (including Treasury Bills and Treasury Notes).	Rural Credits Depart-ment.
	Held by—		Total.						Advances.
	Banks.	Public.							
1959-60 ..	52,112	361,480	413,592	280,786	19,580	246,368	479,855	435,858	62,605
1960-61 ..	57,466	370,244	427,710	294,409	18,478	268,417	404,148	531,398	72,356
1961-62 ..	59,446	368,057	427,503	217,733	31,454	332,986	526,059	429,590	63,479
1962-63 ..	63,235	375,027	438,262	212,254	59,512	306,793	547,829	414,518	66,681
1963-64 ..	66,350	372,011	438,361	265,677	41,428	349,354	699,861	332,044	71,856
Quarter ended—									
June, 1963 ..	64,374	375,502	439,876	226,478	45,175	321,427	574,270	344,954	119,174
September, „	62,857	370,836	433,693	209,971	49,474	323,239	592,142	362,065	72,773
December, „	66,201	375,454	441,655	215,293	47,374	357,300	664,024	380,005	31,939
March, 1964 ..	68,500	373,001	441,501	291,663	38,767	355,767	750,288	295,349	90,860
June, ..	67,832	369,015	436,847	341,906	30,557	361,719	790,233	294,446	88,783
September, „	66,532	371,118	437,650	327,478	39,650	355,504	790,661	340,588	43,038

(a) Prior to the 14th January, 1960, The Commonwealth Bank of Australia.

(b) Averages of weekly

figures. (c) Prior to 14th January, 1960, Special Accounts of Trading Banks.

(d) Includes Term Loan

Fund Accounts established in mid-April, 1962.

COMMONWEALTH NOTES OUTSTANDING.

(£'000.)

Denomination.		28th September, 1960.	27th September, 1961.	26th September, 1962.	25th September, 1963.	30th September, 1964.
10s. ..	..	12,165	12,160	12,802	13,191	13,909
£1 ..	..	70,220	68,611	69,421	69,722	71,888
£5 ..	..	191,898	188,496	193,222	194,390	201,272
£10 ..	..	149,497	150,077	154,411	152,978	151,886
£20 ..	..	2	2	2	2	..
£50 ..	..	32	30	30	29	23
£100 ..	..	37	36	34	31	22
£1,000 ..	..	2,261	4,371	2,800	4,812	2,543
Held by Banks ..		51,417	54,158	55,825	61,250	67,135
" " Public ..		374,695	369,625	376,897	373,905	374,408
Total ..		426,112	423,783	432,722	435,155	441,543

COMMONWEALTH DEVELOPMENT BANK OF AUSTRALIA.(a)

(£'000.)

Period.		Advances.			Treasury Bills.	Commonwealth and State Government Securities.
		Hire Purchase.	Other.	Total.		
1959-60 ..	..	17,830	15,934	33,764	47	6,737
1960-61 ..	..	18,951	17,535	36,486	22	7,385
1961-62 ..	..	19,944	24,362	44,306	456	2,499
1962-63 ..	..	20,738	30,850	51,588	728	3,346
1963-64 ..	..	21,817	35,821	57,638	..	2,096
Quarter ended—						
June, 1963 ..	..	20,413	32,790	53,203	1,508	1,650
September, ..	..	20,503	33,644	54,147	..	2,327
December, ..	..	21,985	35,269	57,254	..	1,281
March, 1964 ..	..	22,386	36,070	58,456	..	2,870
June, ..	..	22,407	38,258	60,665	..	1,843
September, ..	..	23,354	39,843	63,197	..	709

(a) Prior to 14th January, 1960, Industrial Finance and Mortgage Bank Departments of Commonwealth Bank of Australia.

CHEQUE-PAYING BANKS—continued.

Average Weekly Debits to Customers' Accounts.(a)

(Excluding Debits to Australian Government Accounts at Capital City Branches.)

(£'000.)

Period.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Northern Territory.	Australian Capital Territory.	Total.
1959-60 ..	296,295	264,561	79,172	53,374	34,852	15,483	942	2,678	747,357
1960-61 ..	322,466	232,936	81,901	53,011	37,839	16,236	1,020	3,363	803,772
1961-62 ..	326,995	295,018	82,181	58,088	40,178	16,040	1,105	3,951	823,556
1962-63 ..	356,556	325,271	92,569	65,803	44,118	17,534	1,250	5,086	908,187
1963-64 ..	412,389	366,595	106,600	77,539	48,192	18,531	1,388	5,731	1,036,965
Quarter ended—									
June, 1963 ..	368,370	340,073	96,551	67,263	44,128	18,272	1,185	5,728	941,570
Sept., " ..	385,212	348,267	104,761	68,740	43,757	17,366	1,333	5,044	974,480
Dec., " ..	430,084	375,852	110,591	80,633	49,915	19,070	1,463	5,870	1,073,478
Mar., 1964 ..	411,957	352,164	101,762	81,234	49,927	17,813	1,321	5,511	1,021,689
June, " ..	422,303	390,099	109,286	79,551	49,167	19,875	1,434	6,499	1,078,214
Sept., " ..	450,661	398,012	118,340	81,252	46,631	19,674	1,642	6,236	1,122,448

(a) Covers all cheque-paying banks and in addition the Rural Credits Department of the Reserve Bank and the Commonwealth Development Bank. (Prior to 14th January, 1960, Industrial Finance and Mortgage Bank Departments of the Commonwealth Bank.)

COMMONWEALTH AND PRIVATE TRADING BANKS.

(Major Trading Banks.)

New and Increased Lending Commitments and Overdraft Limits.

(£ million.)

New and Increased Lending Commitments.(a)				Overdraft Limits.	
For Period ended Second Wednesday of—	Weekly Average.		Term Loan Component.	At Second Wednesday of—(b)	Total Outstanding. (c)
	Aggregate.				
1962—					
October ..	9.9	1.0		1,752.9	
November ..	10.8	0.7		1,766.5	
December ..	11.6	1.0		1,770.9	
1963—					
January ..	8.4	0.7		1,762.7	
February ..	9.3	1.0		1,767.3	
March ..	13.2	1.8		1,783.2	
April ..	13.7	1.8		1,793.6	
May ..	10.0	0.4		1,798.0	
June ..	11.2	0.6		1,812.2	
July ..	13.6	1.0		1,821.4	
August ..	10.8	1.0		1,833.7	
September ..	11.3	0.7		1,845.2	
October ..	12.0	0.7		1,861.2	
November ..	10.4	0.5		1,873.7	
December ..	10.8	0.7		1,881.2	
1964—					
January ..	9.4	0.6		1,863.5	
February ..	10.4	0.9		1,868.5	
March ..	12.9	1.0		1,878.3	
April ..	10.8	0.6		1,882.3	
May ..	12.4	1.2		1,896.7	
June ..	12.4	0.7		1,907.4	
July ..	11.1	1.3		1,899.7	
August ..	11.7	0.8		1,911.6	
September ..	11.6	0.8		1,922.3	

(a) This series aims to cover all new and increased lending commitments, entered into by banks, which require the approval of a formal limit on a customer's overdraft account. For further details see *Australian Banking Statistics: Monthly Bulletin*. (b) Prior to July, 1961—at the beginning of the month. (c) Excludes limits in respect of temporary advances to woolbuyers.

COMMONWEALTH AND PRIVATE TRADING BANKS—continued.

(Major Trading Banks.)

Classification of Advances within Australia.(a)

(\$ million.)

Classification.	July, 1962.(b)	January, 1963.(b)	July, 1963.(b)	January, 1964.(b)	July, 1964.(b)
RESIDENT BORROWERS—					
<i>Business Advances classified according to</i>					
<i>Main Industry of Borrower—</i>					
Agriculture, Grazing and Dairying ..	239.6	235.6	247.5	237.3	257.2
Manufacturing	209.5	191.9	217.7	182.0	216.5
Transport, Storage and Communication	14.0	14.6	16.0	16.8	20.4
Finance	66.0	64.3	56.6	59.9	68.7
Commerce	216.6	211.8	226.1	221.9	240.6
Building and Construction	30.6	29.1	32.9	31.6	36.4
Other Businesses	77.7	79.0	92.6	92.1	98.9
Unclassified	8.4	8.6	9.3	9.6	9.7
Total Business Advances—					
Companies(c)	481.9	(d) 459.3	505.6	475.0	543.6
Other(c)	380.5	(d) 364.1	393.1	376.2	404.8
Total	862.4	834.9	898.7	851.2	948.4
<i>Advances to Public Authorities</i>	12.6	18.0	7.9	14.6	9.2
<i>Personal Advances</i>	169.6	173.0	187.9	193.0	205.5
<i>Advances to Non-Profit Organizations ..</i>	21.0	23.4	23.0	25.2	24.8
Total Advances to Resident Borrowers	1,065.6	1,049.3	1,117.5	1,084.0	1,187.9
NON-RESIDENT BORROWERS	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.5
Total, All Advances	1,065.9	1,049.8	1,117.8	1,084.3	1,188.4

(a) Includes Papua and New Guinea. (b) Information for July, 1961 and subsequent periods was compiled by all banks as at the second Wednesday of these months. Information for earlier periods was not compiled at a uniform point of time, but at various dates centring around the end of the month shown. (c) The combined advances to these two groups are distributed over the industries above. (d) Excludes "Term Loans".

Classification of Deposits(a) within Australia.(b)

(\$ million.)

Classification.	July, 1962.(c)	January, 1963.(c)	July, 1963.(c)	January, 1964.(c)	July, 1964.(c)
RESIDENT DEPOSITORS—					
<i>Business Deposits classified according to</i>					
<i>Main Industry of Depositor—</i>					
Agriculture, Grazing and Dairying ..	332.6	361.3	356.5	414.4	407.5
Manufacturing	130.0	141.7	127.3	156.8	154.9
Transport, Storage and Communication	30.1	30.8	30.2	32.8	35.3
Finance	139.2	143.8	139.6	158.4	154.0
Commerce	158.5	179.1	163.1	190.9	180.3
Building and Construction	52.2	55.9	51.7	58.7	62.0
Other Businesses	203.5	208.4	214.9	233.4	247.9
Unclassified	15.0	16.4	18.8	21.7	21.0
Total Business Deposits—					
Companies(d)	405.5	433.6	404.7	490.8	499.2
Other(d)	655.6	703.8	697.4	776.3	763.7
Total	1,061.1	1,137.4	1,102.1	1,267.1	1,262.9
<i>Deposits of Public Authorities</i>	97.3	93.3	110.6	92.6	119.4
<i>Personal Deposits</i>	518.8	557.2	550.9	603.2	615.8
<i>Deposits of Non-Profit Organizations ..</i>	67.2	69.2	72.3	73.4	84.7
Total, Resident Depositors	1,744.4	1,857.1	1,835.9	2,036.3	2,082.8
NON-RESIDENT DEPOSITORS	14.7	16.7	15.8	17.9	17.4
Total, All Depositors	1,759.1	1,873.8	1,851.7	2,054.2	2,100.2

(a) Excludes the deposits of Commonwealth and State Governments. (b) Includes Papua and New Guinea. (c) See note (b) above. (d) The combined deposits of these two groups are distributed over the industries above.

ALL SAVINGS BANKS.

Deposits.

(£'000.)

Amount on deposit at end of—	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	N. Terr.	Aust. Cap. Terr.	Total.
June—									
1960 ..	541,572	499,592	182,586	165,998	78,623	46,355	2,582	5,396	1,522,704
1961 ..	569,151	517,468	187,131	166,743	80,712	47,388	2,726	6,132	1,577,451
1962 ..	625,021	570,849	205,852	180,990	90,528	51,230	3,085	7,331	1,734,886
1963 ..	703,998	649,031	235,176	208,078	104,406	56,428	3,496	9,233	1,969,846
1964 ..	791,606	739,484	271,176	237,902	119,883	62,385	4,044	11,645	2,238,124
June, 1963	703,998	649,031	235,176	208,078	104,406	56,428	3,496	9,233	1,969,846
Sept., "	725,459	673,404	247,818	213,844	109,376	58,990	3,788	10,081	2,042,760
Dec., "	748,881	699,486	256,934	219,985	113,196	59,636	3,853	10,537	2,112,508
Mar., 1964	764,134	715,365	260,288	228,731	115,915	60,688	3,841	11,035	2,159,997
June, "	791,606	739,484	271,176	237,902	119,883	62,385	4,044	11,645	2,238,124
Sept., "	815,168	770,836	284,080	245,538	124,729	65,080	4,405	12,504	2,322,340

Selected Assets within Australia.(a)

(£'000.)

At End of—	Coin, Bullion and Australian Notes.	Deposits with Reserve Bank.	Deposits with Trading Banks.	Australian Public Securities.		Loans to Authorized Dealers in the Short-term Money Market.	Loans Advances and Bills Discounted.	
				Commonwealth and States.	Local and Semi-Governmental Securities.		Housing.	Other.
June—								
1960 ..	2,888	136,122	52,061	793,839	284,428	1,675	271,992	29,721
1961 ..	4,336	138,572	44,552	789,332	311,409	7,625	306,245	33,364
1962 ..	4,934	159,454	55,908	832,565	351,944	13,790	339,354	35,717
1963 ..	4,736	183,116	59,517	913,596	417,761	19,505	396,970	40,352
1964 ..	5,064	215,102	61,534	997,173	477,779	17,104	498,906	48,002
June, 1963	4,736	183,116	59,517	913,596	417,761	19,505	396,970	40,352
Sept., "	4,714	199,416	58,022	940,337	437,189	18,389	419,007	41,413
Dec., "	5,545	216,022	57,931	963,382	454,608	17,489	447,046	44,366
Mar., 1964	4,909	206,763	55,310	1,004,362	467,481	17,765	467,804	46,308
June, "	5,064	215,102	61,534	997,173	477,779	17,104	498,906	48,002
Sept., "	5,081	217,893	67,036	1,031,126	495,555	18,159	525,474	52,160

(a) Includes assets in Papua and New Guinea.

BANK, ETC., INTEREST RATES, 30th SEPTEMBER, 1964.

Particulars.	Rate per Annum.	Date from which Operative.	Previous Rate per Annum.
	Per cent.		Per cent.

LENDING RATES.

Reserve Bank of Australia—			
Rural Credits Department—Government Guaranteed Loans ..	4	1.4.56	3½
—Other	4½	1.4.56	4
Commonwealth Development Bank of Australia ..	7(a)	27.4.64	6½(a)
Trading Banks—Overdraft (General)	7(a)	27.4.64	6½(a)
Savings Banks—			
Loans to Local Government Authorities ..	5½(a)	Aug., '64	5½(a)
Credit Foncier Housing and Mortgage Loans ..	4½–5½(b)	1.6.64	4½–5½(b)
Loans to Co-operative Building and Housing Societies	4½–5½(b)	1.6.64	4½–5(b)
Life Insurance Companies—Loans on own policies	6–7(b)	May, '63	6½–7(b)

DEPOSIT RATES.

Trading Banks—Fixed Deposits—			
30 days but less than 3 months (Maximum Rate)	3¾(c)	8.4.64	..
3 months but less than 12 months	3¾	8.4.64	3½
12 months to 18 months(d)	4	29.9.64	3½
Over 18 months to 24 months	4½	29.9.64	..
Savings Banks—Deposits other than Fixed Deposits—Ordinary Accounts(e)—			
Commonwealth Savings Bank; The State Savings Bank of Victoria; Australia and New Zealand Savings Bank Ltd.; The Bank of Adelaide Savings Bank Ltd.; Bank of New South Wales Savings Bank Ltd.; Commercial Savings Bank of Australia Ltd.; C.B.C. Savings Bank Ltd.; E.S. and A. Savings Bank Ltd. and the National Bank Savings Bank Ltd.—			
£1–£3,000	3½	1.6.64	3
Rural and Industries Bank of Western Australia, The Hobart Savings Bank and Launceston Bank for Savings and Savings Bank of South Australia—			
£1–£3,000	3½	1.6.64	3½

COMMONWEALTH SECURITIES.

Long Term	5(f)	13.8.64	4½
Short Term	4½(g)	14.5.64	3½
Treasury Notes (Interest Yield)	3.85	7.8.64	3.75

(a) Maximum rate. (b) Predominant rates. (c) On deposits of £50,000 and more only.
 (d) Prior to 29.9.64, 12 months to 15 months. (e) No interest is payable in excess of the maximum amounts shown. On Friendly and Other Society Accounts interest is payable at the same rate as on ordinary accounts up to the maximum amount shown. On amounts in excess of the maximum shown, interest is 1½ per cent. per annum (previous rate: 1½ per cent.). (f) Issued at par; previously at £99 per cent.
 (g) Issued at £99 10s. per cent. as from 13.8.64, and at par as from 14.5.64; previously at £99 15s. per cent.

BANK, ETC., INTEREST RATES, AND SECURITY YIELDS.

(AVERAGES FOR PERIODS.)

(Per Cent.)

Period.	Trading Banks—						C'wealth. Savings Bank Deposits (Maximum Rate of Interest).	C'wealth. Govt. Securities.		Private First Mortgages Regis- tered in New South Wales— Urban and Rural Securities. (b)
	Fixed Deposits.				Overdrafts. (Maximum rate)			Theo- retical 2 Years. (a)	Theo- retical 15 Years. (a)	
	3 Months.	6 Months.	12 Months.	24 Months.	C'wealth. Trading Bank.	Private Trading Banks.				
1959-60	2.25	2.50	2.75	3.50 (c)	6.00	(c) 6.00	3.00	4.01	4.91	8.3
1960-61	(f) 4.00		4.50	(g)	(d) 7.00	(d) 7.00	3.25	5.06	5.21	8.7
1961-62	(f) 3.91		4.22	(g)	(d) 7.00	(d) 7.00	3.50	4.45	5.06	8.8
1962-63	(f) 3.63		3.88	(g)	6.88	6.88	3.42	4.08	4.80	8.9
1963-64	(i) (f) 3.37		3.63	(g)	6.63	6.63	3.02	3.79	4.51	8.7
Month of—										(e)
Dec., 1962	(f) 3.75		(h) 4.00	(g)	7.00	7.00	3.50	4.13	4.88	9.1
Mar., 1963	(f) 3.75		(h) 4.00	(g)	7.00	7.00	3.50	4.04	4.84	8.7
June, "	(f) 3.25		(h) 3.50	(g)	6.50	6.50	3.00	3.75	4.50	8.7
Sept., "	(f) 3.25		(h) 3.50	(g)	6.50	6.50	3.00	3.68	4.46	8.6
Dec., "	(f) 3.25		(h) 3.50	(g)	6.50	6.50	3.00	3.64	4.44	8.6
Mar., 1964	(f) 3.25		(h) 3.50	(g)	6.50	6.50	3.00	3.63	4.46	8.7
June, "	(i) (f) 3.75		(h) 4.00	(g)	7.00	7.00	3.25	4.23	4.70	8.6
Sept., "	(i) (f) 3.75		(j) 4.00	(k) 4.25	7.00	7.00	3.25	4.35	4.89	8.7

(a) Source: Reserve Bank. Yields are to last date of redemption. Income-tax rebate of 2s. in the pound has not been taken into account. Since July, 1959, figures relate to theoretical 2 year and 15 year bonds. Average for the week is centred on last Wednesday of the month. Prior to July, 1959, rates for securities maturing in 2 and 12 years, estimated from rates on securities maturing in 0-5, and 10 or more years respectively, figures related to last Wednesday in month. (b) Revised series, including all mortgages for corporations (other than banks and building societies) and individuals, except completely abnormal amounts of £1m. or more in months in which large mortgages are few in number. Annual figures are averages of monthly quotations. (c) Average rate on all advances not to exceed 5½ per cent. (d) Average rate on all advances not to exceed 6 per cent. (e) Average rate on mortgages registered in three months ending with months shown. (f) Three months but less than twelve months. (g) Since 17th November, 1960, banks have not accepted fixed deposits for periods in excess of twelve months. (h) Since 10th September, 1962, banks were permitted to accept Fixed Deposits for periods up to 15 months. (i) From 8th April, 1964, banks have been permitted to accept fixed deposits in excess of £50,000 only for periods of 1 to 3 months at rates not exceeding 3.75 per cent. (j) As from 29th September, 1964, banks were permitted to accept fixed deposits for periods from 12 months to 18 months. (k) Over 18 months to 24 months.

OVERSEA EXCHANGE RATES—AVERAGE TELEGRAPHIC TRANSFER SELLING RATES—SYDNEY ON OVERSEA COUNTRIES.

Country.	Basis of Quotation.	1960-61.	1961-62.	1962-63.	1963-64.	September, 1963.	September, 1964.
Belgium-Luxembourg..	Francs to £A.1 ..	110.74	110.68	110.47	110.51	110.61	109.56
Canada	Dollars to £A.1 ..	2.20	2.34	2.40	2.41	2.41	2.38
China(a)	New Yuan to £A.1 ..	5.45	5.45	5.46	5.47	5.46	5.47
Czechoslovakia(a) ..	Korunas to £A.1 ..	15.94	15.94	15.94	15.94	15.94	15.94
France	Francs to £A.1 ..	10.90	10.93	10.89	10.88	10.87	10.82
Germany, Fed. Rep. of	Deutsche Marks to £A.1 ..	9.13	8.90	8.88	8.82	8.83	8.77
Hong Kong	Dollars to £A.1 ..	12.71	12.71	12.73	12.68	12.69	12.69
India	Rupees to £A.1 ..	10.56	10.56	10.56	10.57	10.57	10.57
Indonesia(a)	Rupiahs to £A.1 ..	100.39	100.39	100.10	100.06	99.60	(b) 555.75
Iran(a)	Rials to £A.1 ..	169.00	168.12	167.34	167.33	167.33	166.93
Italy	Lire to £A.1 ..	1,379	1,382	1,378	1,378	1,378	1,378
Japan	Yen to £A.1 ..	798.33	804.90	798.51	803.14	802.82	797.31
Malaysia(c)	Dollars to £A.1 ..	6.78	6.79	6.78	6.82	6.79	6.81
Netherlands	Guilders to £A.1 ..	8.27	8.02	8.00	8.00	8.00	7.96
New Zealand	£A. to £100 N.Z. ..	124.54	124.54	124.54	124.54	124.54	124.54
Norway	Kroner to £A.1 ..	15.85	15.86	15.85	15.85	15.85	15.79
Philippines	Pesos to £A.1 ..	(d)	(d)	(d)	8.64	8.63	8.60
South Africa, Rep. of(e)	Rands to £A.1 ..	1.59	1.59	1.59	1.59	1.59	1.59
Sweden	Kronor to £A.1 ..	11.48	11.49	11.48	11.47	11.51	11.33
Switzerland	Francs to £A.1 ..	9.63	9.64	9.62	9.59	9.59	9.55
U.S.S.R.(a)	Roubles to £A.1 ..	5.565	2.008	2.008	2.008	2.008	2.008
United Kingdom ..	£A. to £100 Stg. ..	125.50	125.50	125.50	125.50	125.50	125.50
United States of America	Dollars to £A.1 ..	2.23	2.24	2.23	2.23	2.23	2.22

(a) Rates of exchange used in converting import values to Australian currency for purposes of calculating Customs Duty. (b) Depreciated on 30th July, 1964. (c) Singapore, prior to 17th September, 1963. (d) On application. (e) Unit of currency changed on 15th February, 1961, on basis of £S.A.1 = 2 Rands.

SHORT TERM MONEY MARKET.**Selected Assets and Liabilities of Authorized Dealers and Rates of Interest on Loans.***Source: Reserve Bank of Australia.*

Month.	Liabilities to Clients.			Holdings of Common- wealth Govern- ment Securities (at par Value).	Interest Rates on Loans Accepted during Month.				Weighted Average Interest Rate on Loans Out- standing. (a).
	All Cheque Paying Banks.	Other. Clients.	Total.		At Call.		For Fixed Periods.		
					Mini- mum.	Maxi- mum.	Mini- mum.	Maxi- mum.	
Average of Weekly Figures—£ million.					Per cent. Per Annum.				
June, 1959 ..	28.3	19.8	48.1	50.4	2.94	3.13	3.00	3.50	3.11
„ 1960 ..	27.2	52.7	79.9	82.3	2.75	3.50	3.00	3.50	3.25
„ 1961 ..	34.4	62.7	97.1	100.4	2.50	4.88	3.50	4.83	4.17
„ 1962 ..	27.9	88.5	116.4	121.2	2.00	4.00	3.00	3.88	3.45
June, 1963 ..	20.0	104.5	133.5	143.4	2.00	4.25	3.13	4.25	3.75
Sept., „ ..	41.3	99.9	141.2	148.9	2.00	3.76	3.00	3.78	3.38
Dec.,(b), „ ..	38.4	112.0	150.4	157.5	1.00	3.53	2.63	3.65	3.08
Mar., 1964 „ ..	34.0	138.2	172.2	180.1	1.75	3.88	3.25	3.94	3.38
June, „ ..	33.6	126.8	160.4	170.6	1.50	4.50	3.38	4.50	3.71
Sept., „ ..	46.2	126.5	172.7	180.5	2.00	4.63	3.00	4.75	3.74

(a) As at last Wednesday.

(b) Excludes one Wednesday.

LIFE INSURANCE BUSINESS IN AUSTRALIA.(a)

(EXCLUDING BUSINESS OF THE GOVERNMENT INSURANCE OFFICE OF NEW SOUTH WALES AND THE QUEENSLAND STATE GOVERNMENT INSURANCE OFFICE.)

New Policies Issued and Policies Discontinued or Reduced.(a)(b)

Period.	New Policies Issued.							Policies Discontinued or Reduced.(c)
	Ordinary Business.		Superannuation Business.		Industrial Business.		Total Sum Insured.	
	No.	Sum Insured.	No.	Sum Insured.	No.	Sum Insured.		
		£'000.		£'000.		£'000.	£'000.	£'000.
Year—								
1958-59	315,752	521,161	(d)		192,006	32,191	553,352	193,814
1959-60	403,016	691,238			189,672	33,571	724,809	224,829
1960-61	332,382	593,558	90,973	211,565	181,747	43,473	848,596	319,020
1961-62	318,512	616,860	75,458	237,062	165,251	47,024	900,946	341,471
1962-63	313,106	633,550	80,149	249,343	143,536	52,780	935,673	386,895
1963-64	338,656	720,333	75,269	315,693	129,301	56,887	1,092,913	452,710
Quarter ended—								
March, 1963	62,701	121,726	16,114	38,335	26,207	9,505	169,566	87,037
June, "	82,728	164,946	21,244	53,922	33,545	13,580	232,448	95,199
September, " (e)	97,206	194,113	21,493	87,801	38,524	15,852	297,766	118,778
December, " (e)	84,468	193,890	19,503	106,377	30,610	14,633	314,900	118,304
March, 1964	65,167	136,383	15,275	49,471	25,787	11,109	196,890	100,963
June, "	91,815	195,947	18,998	72,044	34,380	15,293	283,284	114,738
Two months ended—								
August, 1964	66,237	140,267	13,122	57,521	24,248	10,941	208,729	74,211

(a) Includes Papua and New Guinea. (b) Excludes annuity policies. (c) Ordinary and Industrial Business. Includes matured, surrendered, forfeited, conversions to other classes of business, etc. (d) Not available separately, included with Ordinary Business. (e) Periods during which policies were recorded in company registers, which may be subsequent to periods in which written. Recordings tend to concentrate more in the last month of a company's year; months mainly affected are September and December.

Life Insurance Business in Australia(a)—continued.

Premiums Received, Amounts Paid on Claims, Surrenders, etc., and New Loans Paid Over.(a)
(£'000.)

Period.	Premiums.(b)				Claims, etc., Paid.(c)				New Loans Paid Over.(d)
	Ordinary Business.	Superannuation Business.	Industrial Business.	Total.	Ordinary Business.	Superannuation Business.	Industrial Business.	Total.	
Year—									
1958-59 ..	96,072	(e) {	15,214	111,286	36,742	(e) {	10,368	47,110	68,915
1959-60 ..	106,690		15,427	122,117	41,000		11,227	52,227	71,372
1960-61 ..	116,122		15,543	131,665	51,975		13,391	65,366	83,642
1961-62 ..	132,708		16,022	148,730	54,785		13,789	68,574	57,077
1962-63 ..	103,071	39,789	16,039	158,899	44,802	15,716	12,690	73,208	63,659
1963-64 ..	115,332	44,132	16,525	175,989	48,274	18,632	12,223	79,129	80,023
Quarter ended—									
March, 1963..	23,398	8,985	3,252	35,635	10,127	3,691	3,082	16,900	13,300
June, „ ..	28,791	11,902	4,077	44,770	12,890	3,970	2,961	19,821	17,937
Sept., „ ..	29,263	10,731	4,277	44,271	12,328	4,421	3,177	19,926	17,202
Dec., „ ..	27,888	10,679	4,775	43,342	11,830	4,332	3,043	19,205	24,143
March, 1964 ..	25,257	9,633	3,355	38,245	10,839	5,356	2,753	18,948	13,687
June, „ ..	32,924	13,089	4,118	50,131	13,277	4,523	3,250	21,050	24,991
Two months ended—									
Aug., 1964 ..	21,030	7,646	3,125	31,801	9,275	3,414	2,389	15,078	14,843

(a) Includes Papua and New Guinea. (b) Includes consideration for annuities. (c) Includes claims paid on account of death or maturity, amounts paid on surrender of policy, annuities and bonuses paid in cash. (d) Excludes advances of premiums. (e) Not available separately, included with Ordinary Business.

Selected Assets held in Australia by Life Insurance Companies.(a)
(£'000.)

Class of Assets.	End of—				
	June, 1963.	September, 1963.	December, 1963.	March, 1964.	June, 1964.
Fixed Assets ..	96,180	102,022	108,994	110,666	116,530
Loans (excluding Advances of Premiums)—					
On Mortgage—					
Housing ..	158,456	158,683	161,378	161,254	161,661
Other ..	233,285	235,415	242,379	242,755	250,842
On Policies ..	47,963	49,123	50,186	50,936	51,972
Other.. ..	22,585	21,772	21,692	20,715	20,065
Total Loans ..	462,289	464,993	475,635	475,660	484,540
Investments—					
Government Securities ..	310,809	320,535	328,778	339,192	344,557
Local and Semi-Governmental Securities ..	124,860	130,027	133,684	134,145	133,205
Debentures and notes ..	119,953	123,872	131,797	136,750	142,464
Shares ..	146,485	151,500	159,829	165,108	175,640
Other.. ..	3,578	3,519	3,763	3,643	5,575
Total Investments ..	705,685	729,453	757,851	778,838	801,441
Cash on Hand and on Deposit ..	4,008	5,656	2,690	4,049	3,487
Total Selected Assets ..	1,268,162	1,302,124	1,345,170	1,369,213	1,405,998

(a) Includes Papua and New Guinea. Items shown are the balances according to the companies' ledgers at the date at which the information was supplied, without adjustment for items which had not been brought to account at that date. Details as at the end of December, 1961, and subsequent dates are not strictly comparable with information for earlier dates previously published. Details prior to December, 1961, include "Other classes of Business" whilst those for December, 1961, onwards relate to life insurance business only.

NEW CAPITAL RAISINGS BY COMPANIES IN AUSTRALIA.

NOTE.—The following statistics show the net amount of cash transferred from the investing public to companies in Australia through the types of capital specified. For this purpose the "investing public" includes banks and life assurance companies (except when subscribing to issues by associated companies) and superannuation funds. The statistics do not include changes in bank overdrafts, loans to authorized dealers in the short-term money market, or deposits accepted by banks, insurance companies, pastoral companies or building societies.

New Money Raised by Companies in Australia—Industry Groups.

(\$ million.)

Period.	Companies Listed on Stock Exchanges.			Companies not Listed on Stock Exchanges.			Grand Total.
	Share Capital. (a)	Deben- tures, Notes, Loans and Deposits. (b)	Total.	Share Capital. (a)	Secured Loans. (c)	Total.	
MANUFACTURING.							
Year—							
1959-60 ..	17.9	24.5	42.4	(d)	(d)	13.2	55.6
1960-61 ..	37.9	24.9	62.8	5.8	3.4	9.2	72.0
1961-62 ..	42.1	29.4	71.5	5.5	1.5	7.0	78.5
1962-63 ..	20.2	13.8	34.0	5.2	1.8	7.0	41.0
1963-64 ..	p16.4	p5.6	p22.0				
Quarter ended—							
September, 1962	7.3	1.2	8.5	1.4	0.3	1.7	10.2
December, "	5.4	11.4	16.8	1.1	0.1	1.2	18.0
March, 1963	4.0	0.4	4.4	1.0	0.7	1.7	6.1
June, "	3.5	0.8	4.3	1.7	0.7	2.4	6.7
September, "	5.0	0.6	5.6	1.1	..	1.1	6.7
December, "	3.6	3.0	6.6				
March, 1964	4.0	-1.0	3.0				
June, "	p3.8	p3.0	p6.8				
FINANCE AND PROPERTY.(b)							
Year—							
1959-60 ..	9.5	140.2	149.7	10.3	2.6	12.9	162.6
1960-61 ..	20.2	61.4	81.6	9.8	3.7	13.5	95.1
1961-62 ..	6.0	45.1	51.1	8.1	2.7	10.8	61.9
1962-63 ..	5.9	76.2	82.1	6.4	1.8	8.2	90.3
1963-64 ..	p11.0	p43.9	p54.9				
Quarter ended—							
September, 1962	3.0	21.8	24.8	1.8	0.9	2.7	27.5
December, "	1.0	25.0	26.0	1.3	0.3	1.6	27.6
March, 1963	0.5	12.3	12.8	1.6	0.4	2.0	14.8
June, "	1.4	17.1	18.5	1.7	0.2	1.9	20.4
September, "	2.1	21.8	23.9	1.7	0.4	2.1	26.0
December, "	4.0	22.8	26.8				
March, 1964	0.7	3.5	4.2				
June, "	p4.2	p-4.2	p ..				
COMMERCE.							
Year—							
1959-60 ..	9.6	24.4	34.0	7.2	0.8	8.0	42.0
1960-61 ..	21.6	22.6	44.2	5.9	1.0	6.9	51.1
1961-62 ..	13.7	13.6	27.3	5.1	0.7	5.8	33.1
1962-63 ..	11.5	17.0	28.5	4.0	1.2	5.2	33.7
1963-64 ..	p22.1	p24.5	p46.6				
Quarter ended—							
September, 1962	(d)	(d)	6.7	0.9	0.5	1.4	8.1
December, "	4.7	3.2	7.9	0.9	0.2	1.1	9.0
March, 1963	5.2	1.0	6.2	0.8	0.3	1.1	7.3
June, "	(d)	(d)	7.7	1.4	0.2	1.6	9.3
September, "	5.3	9.8	15.1	1.1	0.1	1.2	16.3
December, "	2.7	13.5	16.2				
March, 1964	6.0	2.4	8.4				
June, "	p8.1	p-1.2	p6.9				

For footnotes see following page.

New Money Raised by Companies in Australia—Industry Groups—continued.
(£ million.)

Period.	Companies Listed on Stock Exchanges.			Companies not Listed on Stock Exchanges.			Grand Total.
	Share Capital. (a)	Debentures, Notes, Loans and Deposits.(b)	Total.	Share Capital. (a)	Secured Loans. (c)	Total.	
OTHER INDUSTRIES.							
Year—							
1959-60 ..	10.9	11.3	22.2	(d)	(d)	11.3	33.5
1960-61 ..	18.8	11.5	30.3	9.0	1.2	10.2	40.5
1961-62 ..	14.4	11.5	25.9	7.3	2.0	9.3	35.2
1962-63 ..	14.8	7.5	22.3	5.7	1.9	7.6	29.9
1963-64 ..	p13.5	p4.9	p18.4				
Quarter ended—							
September, 1962	(d)	(d)	4.5	1.5	0.5	2.0	6.5
December, ..	4.9	2.9	7.8	1.4	0.9	2.3	10.1
March, 1963	3.1	2.8	5.9	1.1	0.2	1.3	7.2
June, ..	(d)	(d)	4.1	1.7	0.3	2.0	6.1
September, ..	4.1	1.4	5.5	1.0	0.3	1.3	6.8
December, ..	3.1	1.2	4.3				
March, 1964	2.3	1.7	4.0				
June, ..	p4.0	p0.6	p4.6				

TOTAL ALL INDUSTRIES.

Year—				(e)		(e)	(e)
1959-60 ..	47.9	200.4	248.3	35.5	11.6	47.1	295.4
1960-61 ..	98.5	120.4	218.9	32.2	9.3	41.5	260.4
1961-62 ..	76.2	99.6	175.8	27.5	6.9	34.4	210.2
1962-63 ..	52.4	114.5	166.9	22.7	6.7	29.4	196.3
1963-64 ..	p63.0	p78.9	p141.9				
Quarter ended—							
September, 1962	13.9	30.6	44.5	5.8	2.2	8.0	52.5
December, ..	16.0	42.5	58.5	5.0	1.5	6.5	65.0
March, 1963	12.8	16.5	29.3	4.8	1.6	6.4	35.7
June, ..	9.7	24.9	34.6	7.1	1.4	8.5	43.1
September, ..	16.5	33.6	50.1	5.2	0.8	6.0	56.1
December, ..	13.4	40.5	53.9	p5.8	p3.8	p9.6	p63.5
March, 1964	13.0	6.6	19.6				
June, ..	p20.1	p-1.8	p18.3				

(a) Includes preference shares. (b) Excludes deposits accepted by banks, insurance companies, pastoral companies and building societies, and loans to authorized dealers in the short-term money market. (c) Includes only loans which are secured by charges over the companies' entire assets. (d) Not available for publication. (e) Small share issues of less than £1,000 each, for which returns have not been collected, have not been included in the industrial classification above, but are included in the total below.

NOTE.—Minus sign (—) indicates excess of repayments over receipts of new money.

OVERSEA INVESTMENT.

NOTE.—The following tables, showing private overseas investment in Australia and Australian investment in companies overseas, exclude particulars of advances to non-residents by trading banks in Australia and of deposits with those banks by non-residents. Such advances amounted to £A.0.2 million at 30th June in 1958, 1959 and 1960, and £A.0.3 million at 30th June in 1961, 1962 and 1963. Deposits by non-residents amounted to £A.9.9 million at 30th June, 1958, £A.10.0 million at 30th June, 1959, £A.10.9 million at 30th June, 1960, £A.12.8 million at 30th June, 1961, £A.14.7 million at 30th June, 1962, and £A.15.3 million at 30th June, 1963.

Annual Inflow of Private Oversea Investment in Companies in Australia, by Type of Companies in which Capital Invested.(a)
(£A. million.)

Year.	Direct Investment.					Portfolio Investment. (b)	Annual Inflow of Oversea Investment in Companies.
	Australian Branches		Australian Subsidiaries.		Total Direct Investment.		
	Unremitted Profits.	Other Investment.	Undistributed Profits.	Other Investment.			
1958-59 ..	11.6	9.8	51.0	33.0	105.4	19.8	125.2
1959-60 ..	9.5	22.3	58.7	70.1	160.6	33.9	194.5
1960-61 ..	2.8	24.9	54.2	104.9	186.8	48.5	235.3
1961-62 ..	2.8	24.2	28.6	55.4	111.0	37.9	148.9
1962-63 ..	5.8	5.5	46.0	123.0	180.3	42.2	222.5

(a) Increases in investment by some overseas investors are offset against withdrawals of investment by other overseas investors. (b) Partly estimated.

Annual Inflow of Private Oversea Investment in Companies in Australia, by Domicile of Investor and Category of Investment.^(a)
(£A. million.)

Year.	United Kingdom.	New Zealand.	U.S.A. and Canada.	Other.	Annual Inflow of Oversea Investment in Companies.
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UNDISTRIBUTED INCOME.^(b)

1958-59	27.6	0.9	31.5	2.6	62.6
1959-60	30.6	0.2	34.8	2.6	68.2
1960-61	19.7	1.3	30.7	5.3	57.0
1961-62	..	..	20.0	1.4	8.0	2.0	31.4
1962-63	..	..	33.5	0.6	13.8	3.9	51.8

OTHER INVESTMENT.

1958-59	..	..	38.4	-1.4	15.2	10.4	62.6
1959-60	..	..	75.0	7.7	28.3	15.3	126.3
1960-61	..	..	93.5	1.6	56.6	26.6	178.3
1961-62	..	..	43.5	3.6	63.2	7.2	117.5
1962-63	..	..	70.8	2.8	77.1	20.0	170.7

TOTAL ANNUAL INFLOW.

1958-59	..	..	66.0	-0.5	46.7	13.0	125.2
1959-60	..	..	105.6	7.9	63.1	17.9	194.5
1960-61	..	..	113.2	2.9	87.3	31.9	235.3
1961-62	..	..	63.5	5.0	71.2	9.2	148.9
1962-63	..	..	104.3	3.4	90.9	23.9	222.5

(a) Increases in investment by some overseas investors are offset against withdrawals of investment by other overseas investors. (b) Unremitted profits of Australian branches plus undistributed profits of Australian subsidiaries.

Annual Outflow of Australian Investment in Companies Overseas, by Type of Companies in which Capital Invested.^(a)
(£A. million.)

Year.	Direct Investment.					Portfolio Investment.	Annual Outflow of Australian Investment in Companies Overseas.
	Overseas Branches.		Overseas Subsidiaries.		Total Direct Investment.		
	Unre-mitted Profits.	Other.	Undistri-buted Profits.	Other.			
1958-59 ..	1.1	5.0	1.4	4.7	12.2	-1.4	10.8
1959-60 ..	-0.1	0.9	3.2	2.8	6.8	-4.4	2.4
1960-61 ..	0.9	2.8	2.6	2.5	8.8	-4.4	4.4
1961-62 ..	0.5	3.5	3.9	1.8	9.7	-2.2	7.5
1962-63 ..	0.2	-2.2	4.2	3.6	5.8	-2.8	3.0

(a) See footnote (a) above.

Oversea Investment—continued.

Annual Outflow of Australian Investment in Companies Overseas, by Country in which Capital Invested and Category of Investment.(a)
(£A. million.)

Year.	United Kingdom.	New Zealand.	U.S.A. and Canada.	Other.	Annual Outflow of Australian Investment in Companies Overseas.
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UNDISTRIBUTED INCOME.

1958-59	0.2	2.3	2.5
1959-60	0.1	2.0	-0.1	1.1	3.1
1960-61	0.9	1.7	..	0.9	3.5
1961-62	..	..	0.3	1.7	-0.1	2.5	4.4
1962-63	..	..	-0.3	1.7	..	3.0	4.4

OTHER INVESTMENT.

1958-59	..	..	1.1	3.5	-0.4	4.1	8.3
1959-60	..	..	-2.9	1.3	-0.4	1.3	-0.7
1960-61	..	..	-1.3	1.1	0.6	0.5	0.9
1961-62	..	..	-0.5	1.5	-0.3	2.4	3.1
1962-63	..	..	0.3	3.6	..	-5.3	-1.4

TOTAL INVESTMENT.

1958-59	..	..	1.3	5.8	-0.4	4.1	10.8
1959-60	..	..	-2.8	3.3	-0.5	2.4	2.4
1960-61	..	..	-0.4	2.8	0.6	1.4	4.4
1961-62	..	..	-0.2	3.2	-0.4	4.9	7.5
1962-63	..	..	..	5.3	..	-2.3	3.0

(a) Increases in investment by some Australian investors are offset against withdrawals of investment by other Australian investors.

Net Annual Flow of Investment between Australia and Oversea Countries
by Category of Flow.
(£A. million.)

Year.	Annual Inflow of Investment.	Annual Outflow of Investment.	Net Annual Flow of Investment to Australia.
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1958-59	155.5	15.8	139.7
1959-60	227.0	4.8	222.2
1960-61	244.8	4.6	240.2
1961-62	153.8	7.1	146.7
1962-63	..	..	..	264.3	3.1	261.2

Net Annual Flow of Investment between Australia and Oversea Countries, by Regions.
(£A. million.)

Year.	United Kingdom.	New Zealand.	U.S.A. and Canada.	Other.	I.B.R.D. (a)	Net Annual Flow of Investment to Australia.
1958-59 ..	78.6	-11.5	63.1	7.3	2.2	139.7
1959-60 ..	118.8	4.0	86.0	20.6	-7.2	222.2
1960-61 ..	110.1	0.1	101.9	35.6	-7.5	240.2
1961-62 ..	62.7	0.8	81.8	9.3	-7.9	146.7
1962-63 ..	112.0	-2.8	121.1	25.0	5.9	261.2

(a) No particulars are available of the domicile of securities issued to the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development.

NOTE.—Minus (—) denotes outflow.

UNIT TRUSTS, LAND TRUSTS AND MUTUAL FUNDS.

NOTE.—The following statistics do not include details of superannuation funds conducted by unit trust management companies.

(£ million.)

Period.	Cash Transactions in respect of Trust Units and Fund Shares.		Purchases and Sales of Investments.(a)		Total Market Value of Trusts and Funds at End of Period.(f)
	Total amount received for trust units and fund shares issued.(b)	Total amount paid for trust units and fund shares repurchased.(c)	Purchases.(d)	Sales.(e)	
Year—					
1961-62	17.5	6.9	11.7	3.5	91.8
1962-63	15.9	6.9	13.7	4.8	103.9
1963-64	22.5	10.3	17.7	5.3	125.0
Quarter ended—					
September, 1962 ..	4.1	1.3	3.8	0.8	93.6
December, " ..	3.7	1.8	4.1	1.7	98.4
March, 1963 ..	3.3	2.1	2.9	1.3	100.9
June, " ..	4.8	1.7	2.9	1.0	103.9
September, " ..	4.2	2.0	4.1	1.3	111.4
December, " ..	6.3	2.6	4.1	1.2	119.3
March, 1964 ..	5.5	2.9	3.8	1.4	123.0
June, " ..	6.5	2.8	5.7	1.4	125.0

(a) Commonwealth Government, Local Authority and Semi-Governmental Securities, shares, debentures, unsecured notes, loans, deposits on term or notice of three months or longer, land and buildings, etc. (b) Includes re-issues and new issues. Includes fees and expenses. (c) Includes those units and fund shares intended for re-issue. (d) Payments for assets acquired during quarter. Includes brokerage and stamp duty. (e) Receipts for assets sold or redeemed during quarter. Excludes brokerage and stamp duty. (f) Includes value of land trusts at valuation.

SECTION VIII.—PUBLIC FINANCE.

COMMONWEALTH PUBLIC ACCOUNT (CONSOLIDATED REVENUE, LOAN AND TRUST FUNDS)—SUMMARY OF TRANSACTIONS.

(\$ million.)

Particulars.	1961-62.	1962-63.	1963-64.	Three months ended September—	
				1963.	1964.
Expenditure—					
Consolidated Revenue Fund(a) ..	1,619.4	1,659.0	(b) 1,871.8	423.5	470.4
Loan Fund—					
Defence Services ..	23.6	66.1	38.7	..	..
State Works and Housing Programmes ..	244.6	249.1	262.0	64.4	69.2
War Service Land Settlement ..	1.6	0.6	4.3	0.8	0.8
Mt. Isa Railway Agreement ..	3.8	5.9	6.0	0.9	..
Snowy Mountains Hydro-Electric Authority ..	..	13.1	11.7	1.1	1.8
Total Expenditure ..	1,893.0	1,993.8	2,194.5	490.7	542.2
Receipts—					
Consolidated Revenue Fund ..	1,641.5	1,685.4	1,904.7	305.9	347.7
National Debt Sinking Fund ..	76.7	81.8	89.5	20.2	22.7
Net Movement in Cash Balances of other Trust Funds ..	2.2	15.2	2.5	3.7	3.5
Total Receipts ..	1,720.4	1,782.4	1,996.7	329.8	373.9
Excess of Expenditure over Receipts—to be met from Borrowings ..	172.6	211.4	197.8	160.9	168.3
Add Redemptions—					
Loan Funds ..	..	32.0	20.2	1.6	3.3
National Debt Sinking Fund ..	94.6	57.6	72.0	5.3	55.1
Total Call on Borrowings ..	267.2	301.0	290.0	167.8	226.7
Borrowings—					
Public Loan Proceeds—					
Australia ..	224.0	251.5	281.0	99.1	87.8
Overseas ..	16.2	65.6	36.7	3.0	2.9
Increase in Temporary Borrowings ..	22.0	—15.5	—27.2	38.4	97.7
Reduction in Cash Balances ..	5.0	—0.6	—0.5	27.3	38.3
Total ..	267.2	301.0	290.0	167.8	226.7

(a) Excludes payments to Loan Consolidation and Investment Reserve:—1961-62, £22.2 million; 1962-63, £26.4 million; 1963-64, £14.9 million. (b) Excludes expenditure of £18.0 million on the redemption of Treasury Bills.

COMMONWEALTH CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND—RECEIPTS.

(£'000.)

Source of Revenue.	1961-62.	1962-63.	1963-64.	Three months ended September—	
				1963.	1964.
Taxation—					
Income Taxes ..	828,150	810,590	937,242	81,712	97,242
Customs ..	85,160	105,101	116,286	28,263	34,419
Excise ..	265,645	274,402	291,232	68,973	72,629
Sales Tax ..	148,824	156,531	162,595	39,113	43,542
Pay-roll Tax ..	60,971	63,255	68,222	16,442	18,903
Estate Duty ..	17,029	17,850	19,936	4,895	5,835
Gift Duty ..	2,797	3,164	3,244	788	1,032
Total Taxation ..	1,408,576	1,430,893	1,598,757	240,186	273,602
Business Undertakings—					
Postmaster-General's Department ..	139,814	150,689	165,432	38,976	41,077
Railways ..	6,222	6,937	7,830	1,961	1,996
Broadcasting and Television Services ..	12,353	13,574	14,627	4,170	4,492
Total Business Undertakings ..	158,389	171,200	187,889	45,107	47,565
Territories ..	5,996	7,732	9,519	1,828	2,234
Other Revenue(a) ..	68,581	75,561	108,523	18,783	24,337
Grand Total ..	1,641,542	1,685,386	1,904,688	305,904	347,738

(a) Includes Departmental Receipts relating to "Primary Production and other charges" paid to Trust Funds, or to relevant authorities for the purposes of the industries concerned.

COMMONWEALTH CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND—EXPENDITURE.
(£'000.)

Head of Expenditure.	1961-62.	1962-63.	1963-64.	Three months ended September—	
				1963.	1964.
Debt Charges	68,148	67,684	68,940	22,743	22,646
Defence Services(a)	181,765	150,833	221,747	57,467	69,496
War and Repatriation Services—					
War Pensions	77,270	81,347	89,525	27,066	23,254
Other(b)	57,094	62,433	62,677	16,081	16,654
Total, War and Repatriation Services	134,364	143,780	152,202	43,147	39,908
Business Undertakings—					
Postmaster-General's Department ..	162,711	172,495	186,207	41,031	46,778
Railways	6,919	7,523	8,834	1,622	2,013
Broadcasting and Television Services ..	15,647	17,888	19,405	5,188	5,932
Total Business Undertakings ..	185,277	197,906	214,446	47,841	54,723
Territories—					
Northern Territory	14,138	15,948	17,514	3,769	4,418
Australian Capital Territory	18,831	22,299	25,019	8,155	8,055
Papua and New Guinea	18,046	20,879	25,842	5,925	6,626
Norfolk Island	38	46	41	9	7
Cocos (Keeling) Islands	39	42	41	8	10
Total, Territories	51,092	59,214	68,457	17,866	19,116
National Welfare Fund	360,877	374,425	416,348	90,857	104,075
Payments to or for the States—					
Financial Assistance Grants	292,140	304,320	317,984	63,670	68,121
Special Grants	11,231	11,251	11,450	2,700	2,750
Additional Assistance Grants	10,000	17,500	20,000	5,000	..
Universities	14,161	15,709	16,930	3,384	3,151
Commonwealth Aid Roads	50,000	54,000	58,000	14,500	16,250
Other	28,781	31,957	34,511	4,729	10,649
Total Payments to or for the States	406,313	434,737	458,875	93,983	100,921
Loan Consolidation and Investment Reserve	22,155	26,378	14,875	..	..
Redemption of Treasury Bills .. .. .	..	..	18,000	..	..
Other Expenditure	231,551	230,429	270,798	49,551	59,562
Grand Total	1,641,542	1,685,386	1,904,688	423,455	470,447

(a) In addition, the following amounts were provided from Loan Fund:—1961-62, £23,641,000; 1962-63, £66,070,000; 1963-64, £38,715,000. (b) Includes expenditure on War Service Homes 1961-62, £35,000,000; 1962-63, £37,500,000; 1963-64, £35,000,000.

COMMONWEALTH LOAN FUND—RECEIPTS.

(£'000.)

Particulars.	1960-61.	1961-62.	1962-63.	1963-64.
Loans Raised for the Commonwealth—				
Balance from 30th June	187	79	98	49
Loans raised in Australia	38,358	92,203	109,499	99,651
Loans raised Overseas	21,307	19,711	37,035	25,011
Total Loans Raised	59,665	111,914	146,534	124,662
Less Expenses of Flotation	457	Cr. 586	1,399	Cr. 157
Total	59,375	112,579	145,233	124,868
Loans Raised for the States—				
Balance from 30th June .. .. .	..	..	..	..
Loans raised in Australia	176,203	185,469	200,407	214,548
Loans raised Overseas	36,546	21,082	35,754	14,381
Total	212,749	206,551	236,161	228,929

COMMONWEALTH LOAN FUND—EXPENDITURE.

(£'000.)

Particulars.	1960-61.	1961-62.	1962-63.	1963-64.
Loans Raised for the Commonwealth—				
Assistance to States for Housing	37,200	50,400	48,611	50,150
Defence Services .. .. .	..	23,641	66,070	38,715
War and Repatriation Services	2,027	1,577	607	4,262
Loan—Qantas	1,573	11,827	2,067	2,016
Loan—Australian National Airlines Commission	892	..	560	561
Mount Isa Railway Agreement .. .. .	..	3,750	5,959	6,050
Snowy Mountains Hydro-Electric Authority .. .. .	..	..	13,100	11,701
Works and Other Purposes—Repayments	Cr. 52	Cr. 30	Cr. 17	Cr. 282
Redemptions	17,656	21,316	8,227	11,632
Balance at 30th June	79	98	49	63
Total	59,375	112,579	145,233	124,868
Loans Raised for the States—				
Proceeds paid to States—				
New South Wales	60,694	62,298	65,404	70,010
Victoria	48,619	49,545	52,680	55,864
Queensland	21,075	23,150	21,288	21,206
South Australia	25,967	25,148	25,729	27,592
Western Australia	18,640	19,581	20,522	22,003
Tasmania	13,445	14,498	14,884	15,159
Total	188,440	194,220	200,507	211,834
Redemptions	24,309	12,331	35,654	17,095
Total	212,749	206,551	236,161	228,929

**COMMONWEALTH INCOME TAX AND SOCIAL SERVICES CONTRIBUTION—
RESIDENT INDIVIDUALS, 1962-63.(a)**

Grade of Actual Income and State or Territory of Assessment.					Number of Tax-payers.	Actual Income. (b)	Taxable Income.		Net Income Tax and Social Services Contribution Assessed.
							Salary and Wages.	Total.	
£	£					£'000.	£'000.	£'000.	£'000.
105- 199	..	..	..	..	159,892	24,777	19,372	23,626	186
200- 299	..	..	..	..	181,445	45,128	33,205	41,517	707
300- 399	..	..	..	..	207,996	72,965	53,238	65,616	1,915
400- 499	..	..	..	..	240,502	108,267	79,000	96,117	3,872
500- 599	..	..	..	..	255,915	140,642	98,569	123,130	6,265
600- 699	..	..	..	..	287,667	187,066	134,143	162,153	9,810
700- 799	..	..	..	..	285,783	214,194	150,305	182,287	12,528
800- 899	..	..	..	..	295,816	251,680	169,435	204,888	15,351
900- 999	..	..	..	..	338,675	321,831	214,460	251,914	20,203
1,000- 1,099	..	..	..	..	362,021	380,028	250,204	289,220	24,854
1,100- 1,199	..	..	..	..	323,910	377,514	245,569	284,112	26,186
1,200- 1,299	..	..	..	..	275,566	343,768	219,488	257,175	25,220
1,300- 1,399	..	..	..	..	222,923	300,111	187,308	223,607	23,270
1,400- 1,499	..	..	..	..	172,220	249,261	152,710	186,805	20,698
1,500- 1,999	..	..	..	..	448,352	761,689	431,951	573,258	72,574
2,000- 2,999	..	..	..	..	226,306	535,365	241,670	417,142	69,538
3,000- 3,999	..	..	..	..	58,771	200,596	65,655	164,710	36,335
4,000- 4,999	..	..	..	..	24,652	109,244	29,418	92,356	24,494
5,000- 9,999	..	..	..	..	27,154	176,325	37,655	154,011	53,244
10,000-14,999	..	..	..	..	3,112	36,935	7,293	33,176	14,836
15,000-19,999	..	..	..	..	812	13,865	2,539	12,413	6,119
20,000-29,999	..	..	..	..	396	9,439	1,439	8,395	4,464
30,000-49,999	..	..	..	..	153	5,495	789	4,758	2,665
50,000 and over	..	..	..	..	69	6,660	324	4,633	2,757
Total ..	..	..	..	..	4,405,108	4,872,845	2,825,739	3,856,919	478,091
Central Office	..	..	..	..	14,828	44,696	9,018	37,074	11,313
New South Wales	..	..	..	..	1,660,133	1,877,881	1,142,420	1,496,293	186,988
Victoria	..	..	..	..	1,277,563	1,412,672	831,725	1,129,224	141,160
Queensland	..	..	..	..	574,828	599,796	315,008	459,381	53,613
South Australia	..	..	..	..	409,455	429,460	242,418	339,129	38,420
Western Australia	..	..	..	..	293,777	317,092	169,464	248,421	29,354
Tasmania	..	..	..	..	136,278	141,361	83,349	109,072	12,020
Northern Territory	..	..	..	..	9,174	12,702	6,952	8,355	1,045
Australian Capital Territory	..	..	..	..	29,072	37,185	25,385	29,970	4,178
Total ..	..	..	..	..	4,405,108	4,872,845	2,825,739	3,856,919	478,091

(a) Assessed on income for year 1961-62. (b) Actual income is defined briefly as "Gross income including exempt income less expenses incurred in gaining that income".

**COMMONWEALTH INCOME TAX AND SOCIAL SERVICES CONTRIBUTION—
RESIDENT AND NON-RESIDENT COMPANIES, 1962-63.(a)**

Grade of Taxable Income.	Taxable.			Non-Taxable.		
	Number of Taxpayers.	Taxable Income.	Net Tax Assessed. (b)	Number of Taxpayers.	Taxable Income.(c)	Loss for Year.

PRIVATE.

£	£		£'000.	£'000.	£'000.	£'000.
Loss	..	..	..	..	19,795	39,915
Nil	..	..	..	..	7,550	..
1- 999	..	14,020	5,442	1,265	2,024	857
1,000- 4,999	..	18,476	49,122	10,956	2,607	6,428
5,000- 9,999	..	6,672	45,901	10,994	728	5,136
10,000- 19,999	..	3,018	41,751	10,983	362	4,960
20,000- 49,999	..	1,452	43,320	11,906	160	4,788
50,000- 99,999	..	322	21,438	5,959	26	1,786
100,000-199,999	..	111	15,455	4,396	2	237
200,000-499,999	..	28	6,978	1,927	..	..
500,000-999,999	..	2	1,062	189	..	..
1,000,000 and over	..	2	2,109	790	..	..
Total	..	44,103	232,578	59,365	33,254	24,192
						39,915

NON-PRIVATE.

Loss	..	..	..	..	2,393	..	31,978
Nil	..	..	..	..	1,255	..	..
1- 999	..	1,905	560	189	97	34	..
1,000- 4,999	..	2,002	5,724	1,901	157	452	..
5,000- 9,999	..	1,445	10,097	3,455	87	645	..
10,000- 19,999	..	1,050	15,012	5,117	109	1,577	..
20,000- 49,999	..	1,267	40,630	13,269	134	4,251	..
50,000- 99,999	..	747	52,563	16,518	70	4,656	..
100,000-199,999	..	487	68,901	21,152	42	5,585	..
200,000-499,999	..	318	98,950	29,368	25	7,994	..
500,000-999,999	..	89	60,221	18,556	11	8,148	..
1,000,000 and over	..	101	290,193	94,347	1	1,385	..
Total	..	9,411	642,851	203,872	4,381	34,727	31,978

ALL COMPANIES.

Private and Non-Private	..	53,514	875,429	263,237	37,635	58,919	71,893
Special Section	..	1,380	8,775	3,311	3	2	..
Non-Profit	..	452	1,483	487	580	10	123
Co-operative	..	1,796	3,484	1,133	337	23	364
Grand Total	..	57,142	889,171	268,168	38,555	58,954	72,881

(a) Assessed on income for year 1961-62.
Income of private companies, £988,000.

(b) Excludes additional tax levied on the undistributed
(c) Net tax assessed is nil because of rebates, etc.

COMMONWEALTH GIFT DUTY, 1962-63.

Grade of Value of Gift as Assessed.				Number of Assessments.(a)	Value as Assessed.	Net Duty Assessed.
£	£				£'000.	£'000.
1- 999	..	..	..	492	176	6
1,000- 1,999	..	..	..	255	350	13
2,000- 2,999	..	..	..	1,118	2,735	80
3,000- 3,999	..	..	..	856	2,902	89
4,000- 4,999	..	..	..	637	2,827	86
5,000- 9,999	..	..	..	1,874	13,482	425
10,000-19,999	..	..	..	1,347	16,383	650
20,000-49,999	..	..	..	385	10,219	816
50,000 and over	..	..	..	56	4,499	868
Total	..	..	..	7,020	53,573	3,033

a) Number of assessments issued during 1962-63.

COMMONWEALTH ESTATE DUTY, 1962-63.

Grade of Value of Estate.						Number of Estates.(a)	Gross Value as Assessed.	Dutiable Value.	Net Duty Assessed.
£	£						£'000.	£'000.	£'000.
1,000-	1,999	..	..	..	..	9	13	5	..
2,000-	2,999	..	..	..	..	325	973	75	2
3,000-	3,999	..	..	..	..	1,092	3,960	928	28
4,000-	4,999	..	..	..	..	808	3,751	1,465	43
5,000-	9,999	..	..	..	..	6,626	49,114	19,855	586
10,000-	19,999	..	..	..	..	4,157	61,682	45,474	1,673
20,000-	49,999	..	..	..	..	2,706	84,399	70,512	5,207
50,000 and over	..	..	..	..	..	911	90,261	65,218	11,455
Total	..	..	..	..	..	16,634	294,153	203,532	18,994

(a) Estate Duty assessments issued during year 1962-63.

COMMONWEALTH SALES TAX—SALES OF GOODS AND TAX PAYABLE.

NOTE.—An indication of fluctuations in the value of wholesale trade is given by the returns made under the Sales Tax Acts. With certain specified exemptions, all goods sold by wholesale in Australia, including imports, are taxable. The returns do not relate to all wholesale trade, as vendors trading only in exempt goods are not required to furnish returns. They do not necessarily cover a constant proportion of all trade. The effects of legislation and administrative changes on the recorded values of taxable and exempt goods respectively are somewhat uncertain, but total recorded sales are affected in smaller degrees. Insufficient information is available to enable adjustments to be made to the crude figures on this account.

(£'000.)

Period.	Net Sales of Taxable and Exempt Goods.	Taxable Sales.								Sales Tax Payable.
		2½ per cent.	8½ per cent.	12½ per cent.	16½ per cent.	22½ per cent.	25 per cent.	30 per cent.	Total.	
Year—										
1959-60..	3,374,237	..	192,232	427,548	125,022	..	100,741	174,490	1,020,033	167,839
1960-61..	3,487,673	..	195,741	461,423	118,751	..	94,606	138,610	1,040,552	171,584
1961-62..	3,465,737	190,803	21,692	515,941	64,269	74,035	96,090	87,011	1,049,841	148,565
1962-63..	3,778,429	212,980	..	618,411	..	219,240	100,707	..	1,151,338	157,132
1963-64..	4,254,631	236,958	..	601,566	..	251,867	106,029	..	1,196,420	164,297
Quarter—										
Mar., 1963	883,215	46,465	..	144,858	..	52,387	20,956	..	264,666	36,295
June, ..	977,526	50,270	..	148,931	..	51,316	23,560	..	274,077	37,309
Sept., ..	1,052,009	58,629	..	156,345	..	66,168	26,866	..	308,008	42,613
Dec., ..	1,104,204	68,940	..	163,709	..	65,254	31,888	..	329,791	44,841
Mar., 1964	988,056	51,139	..	133,179	..	55,759	22,878	..	262,955	36,191
June, ..	1,110,362	58,250	..	148,333	..	64,686	24,397	..	295,666	40,652

(a) Includes taxable sales at the rate of 40% which amounted to £31,421,000.

STATE CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUNDS.
(£'000.)

Item and Year.	N.S.W. (a)	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	Total.
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REVENUE.
1962-63.

Taxation(b)	52,805	45,386	17,004	13,470	(c) 7,621	4,614	140,900
Railways	(d) 91,241	43,564	36,633	(d) 14,085	16,908	..	202,431
Tramways and Omnibuses	12,385	..	..	..	..	..	12,385
Other Business and Industrial Undertakings	6,856	10,637	..	10,879	5,643	81	34,096
Land	5,563	3,369	4,211	842	1,751	627	16,363
Interest n.e.l.	2,438	7,992	5,989	8,110	3,461	5,540	33,530
Commonwealth Grants(e)	111,265	81,988	52,013	39,071	(f) 37,924	(f) 18,616	340,877
Commonwealth National Welfare Fund Payments	6,049	1,490	652	967	74	327	9,559
All other sources	24,028	12,650	6,989	6,260	5,209	1,854	56,990
Total Revenue 1962-63	312,630	207,076	123,491	93,684	78,591	31,659	847,131
Per Head of Population.. ..	£ s. 77.17	£ s. 68.10	£ s. 79.12	£ s. 93.16	£ s. 102.16	£ s. 87.8	£ s. 79.1
Total Revenue—							
1961-62	295,612	196,309	117,325	89,102	74,926	31,293	804,567
1960-61	282,364	185,101	108,817	81,979	69,333	27,795	755,389
1959-60	262,533	168,310	103,103	76,077	64,388	25,099	699,510
1958-59	239,769	151,248	99,007	68,030	60,068	21,837	639,959

EXPENDITURE.
1962-63.

Debt Charges	42,945	38,826	20,429	22,807	15,660	10,195	150,862
Railways	74,332	40,815	37,496	14,089	17,070	1,374	185,176
Tramways and Omnibuses	12,926	..	..	..	569	300	13,795
Other Business and Industrial Undertakings	5,191	5,409	49	6,464	6,097	380	23,590
Education	67,996	50,309	21,303	18,784	14,050	7,086	179,528
Hospitals	31,597	24,464	13,141	9,020	7,737	2,767	88,726
Other Charities	6,104	2,359	3,093	1,508	2,187	998	16,249
All Other Expenditure	71,353	44,893	27,953	20,722	(g) 15,974	(g) 9,050	189,945
Total Expenditure 1962-63	312,444	207,075	123,464	93,394	79,344	32,150	847,871
Per Head of Population.. ..	£ s. 77.16	£ s. 68.10	£ s. 79.12	£ s. 93.10	£ s. 103.16	£ s. 88.16	£ s. 79.1
Total Expenditure—							
1961-62	298,745	196,298	117,215	88,596	75,890	31,651	808,395
1960-61	282,701	184,932	109,435	80,791	70,537	27,993	756,389
1959-60	262,463	167,997	103,267	76,859	65,794	26,131	702,041
1958-59	239,727	153,796	100,198	69,057	61,753	22,745	647,276

(a) In addition to Consolidated Revenue Fund, includes Business Undertakings—Railways, Tramways and Omnibuses and Sydney Harbour Trust Section of the Maritime Services Board—included in the Annual Budget Papers. To avoid duplication within the combined accounts, the following deductions have been made from expenditure—(I) £823,000 on account of debt charges not recouped to Consolidated Revenue Fund from Business Undertakings and (II) £700,000 for contributions from Consolidated Revenue Fund towards losses on Tramways and Omnibus Services. (b) For total receipts from various forms of taxation, Commonwealth and State 1962-63, see p. 91. (c) Gross collections. (d) To avoid duplication the following Treasury transfers to Railway revenue have been excluded—New South Wales, £800,000; South Australia, £3,900,000. (e) Includes financial assistance grants. (f) Includes balance of Special Grant for 1960-61—Western Australia, £310,000; Tasmania, £141,000. (g) Includes reduction of previous years' deficits: Western Australia, £310,000; Tasmania, £141,000.

STATE NET LOAN EXPENDITURE DURING THE YEAR, 1962-63.
(£'000.)

Heads of Expenditure.	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	Total.
Works and Services—							
Railways ..	7,918	7,771	4,708	1,935	2,969	-61	25,240
Tramways and Omnibuses ..	-101	..	..	-22	133	50	60
Roads and Bridges ..	1,033	419	-170	290	..	..	..
Harbours, Rivers, Lights, etc. ..	4,344	296	571	1,074	1,219	1,899	10,975
Water Supply and Sewerage ..	8,347	8,163	1,699	10,757	3,970	1,976	34,912
Electricity Supply ..	7,984	8,500	1,145	2,928	261	6,750	27,568
Gas Supply ..	..	50	..	..	..	..	50
Public Buildings ..	27,327	22,830	8,600	7,445	7,144	3,704	77,050
Unemployment Relief ..	-13	-2	..	..	..	..	-15
Housing ..	302	500	2,197	-561	1,058	-100	3,396
Other(a) ..	648	1,279	903	351	641	527	4,349
Primary Production—							
Land Settlement(b) ..	-558	-472	223	-114	..	113	-808
Water Conservation, Irrigation and Drainage ..	6,792	..	2,364	661	1,206	..	11,023
Other ..	716	2,015	3,746	-144	-15	429	6,747
Other purposes ..	..	992	20	405	861	-187	2,091
Total Works, etc. ..	64,739	52,341	26,006	25,005	19,447	15,100	202,638
Per Head ..	£ s. 16.2	£ s. 17.6	£ s. 16.15	£ s. 25.1	£ s. 25.9	£ s. 41.14	£ s. 18.18
Non-Works ..	-3,147	796	700	..	-174	155	-1,670
Grand Total ..	61,592	53,137	26,706	25,005	19,273	15,255	200,968

TOTAL STATE NET LOAN EXPENDITURE TO 30th JUNE, 1963.
(£'000.)

Heads of Expenditure.	N.S.W.	Vic.(c)	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	Total.
Works and Services—							
Railways ..	330,140	187,386	143,236	70,000	75,286	15,648	821,696
Tramways and Omnibuses ..	24,422	..	..	8,673	1,893	1,341	36,329
Roads and Bridges ..	27,987	28,172	6,972	5,657	4,488	..	..
Harbours, Rivers, Lights, etc. ..	58,218	5,947	4,657	22,059	20,607	21,471	206,235
Water Supply and Sewerage ..	93,006	150,079	9,590	109,121	55,339	5,652	422,787
Electricity Supply ..	164,268	82,939	1,164	57,854	21,365	104,353	431,943
Gas Supply ..	..	12,440	..	..	..	..	12,440
Public Buildings ..	229,634	204,087	67,795	66,580	48,552	33,781	650,429
Unemployment Relief ..	15,857	13,147	..	..	..	313	29,317
Housing ..	7,573	13,929	20,097	47,558	16,214	14,495	119,866
Other(a) ..	17,803	12,110	91,895	3,806	8,385	7,765	141,764
Primary Production—							
Land Settlement(b) ..	41,866	112,171	9,257	10,593	13,204	3,415	190,506
Water Conservation, Irrigation and Drainage ..	94,206	..	25,403	19,862	13,442	..	152,913
Other ..	22,660	29,768	41,219	19,384	22,333	5,246	104,610
Other purposes ..	189	17,562	296	7,489	22,966	4,613	53,115
Total Works, etc. ..	1,127,829	869,737	421,581	448,636	324,074	218,093	3,409,950
Non-Works ..	58,390	45,366	19,527	8,615	22,519	8,209	162,626
Grand Total ..	1,186,219	915,103	441,108	457,251	346,593	226,302	3,572,576

(a) Includes loans to Local Bodies, etc. (b) Includes Advances to Settlers and Soldier Land Settlement. (c) Gross Expenditure from Loan Fund and on account of loans; includes expenditure from Loan Funds, from Treasurer's Advance Account and from State Loans Repayment Fund.

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES ON ISSUE ON ACCOUNT OF THE STATES, AND INTEREST LIABILITY, AT 30th JUNE, 1964.

State.	Currency in which Repayable.						Australian Currency Equivalent.(a)	
	Aus-tralian Currency.	Sterling.	United States Dollars.	Canadian Dollars.	Swiss Francs.	Nether-lands Guilders.	Total Amount on Issue.	Total Interest Liability.
	£A'000.	£stg.'000.	U.S. \$'000	Can. \$ '000.	Sw. Fr. '000.	f'000.	£A'000.	£A'000
N.S.W. ..	954,146	115,528	85,454	5,058	15,833	10,383	1,141,691	50,640
Vic. ..	705,795	46,060	48,120	4,067	12,732	8,346	788,861	35,445
Q'land. ..	355,312	46,893	34,585	2,041	6,391	4,250	431,387	18,460
S. Aust. ..	380,025	34,026	23,727	2,164	6,774	4,191	435,252	19,057
West. Aust. ..	275,181	33,426	17,682	1,553	4,863	3,264	326,398	14,142
Tas. ..	204,362	8,862	11,393	1,182	3,703	2,416	221,692	9,895
Total ..	2,874,821	284,795	220,966	16,065	40,296	32,850	3,345,281	147,639

(a) Converted at rates of exchange ruling at 30th June, 1964.

(TABLES ON THIS PAGE ARE PREPARED FROM INFORMATION PUBLISHED IN THE MONTHLY STATEMENTS ISSUED BY EACH TREASURY.)

CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUNDS.
(£'000.)

Particulars.	N.S.W. (a)	Vic.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	Six States.	Common- wealth.	Grand Total. (b)
THREE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER, 1963.									
Revenue—									
Commonwealth Grants ..	23,917	17,778	10,767	8,147	8,414	4,207	73,230	..	..
Taxation ..	15,048	10,296	4,101	2,821	2,110	1,158	35,534	240,186	..
Business Undertakings—									
Railways ..	23,397	10,580	10,928	3,901	4,287	..	53,093	1,961	..
Other ..	4,715	54	..	2,280	1,652	..	8,701	43,146	..
Other ..	6,706	4,053	2,105	3,579	2,015	1,877	20,335	20,611	..
Total ..	73,783	42,761	27,901	20,728	18,478	7,242	190,893	305,904	496,797
Expenditure—									
Grants to States(c) ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	93,983	..
Debt Charges ..	9,449	9,473	5,201	5,091	3,741	2,648	35,603	21,947	..
Business Undertakings(d)—									
Railways ..	19,620	11,606	9,307	3,724	4,310	..	48,567	1,622	..
Other ..	4,030	86	..	1,556	1,126	390	7,188	46,219	..
Other ..	37,064	29,259	15,529	12,115	11,105	4,570	109,642	259,684	..
Total ..	70,163	50,424	30,037	22,486	20,282	7,608	201,000	423,455	624,455
Surplus (+) or Deficit (—) ..	+3,620	—7,663	—2,136	—1,758	—1,804	—366	—10,107	—117,551	—127,658

THREE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER, 1964.

Revenue—									
Commonwealth Grants ..	23,825	17,661	10,858	7,976	8,650	4,274	73,244	..	..
Taxation ..	18,044	11,306	3,961	3,058	2,308	1,052	40,329	273,602	..
Business Undertakings—									
Railways ..	23,770	10,970	11,514	3,752	3,909	..	53,915	1,996	..
Other ..	4,814	46	..	2,398	418	..	7,676	45,569	..
Other ..	7,297	3,789	2,574	4,589	2,114	2,139	22,502	26,571	..
Total ..	78,350	43,772	28,907	21,773	17,399	7,465	197,666	347,738	..
Expenditure—									
Grants to States(c) ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	100,921	..
Debt Charges ..	10,568	10,277	5,809	5,559	4,251	2,955	39,419	22,646	..
Business Undertakings(d)—									
Railways ..	21,328	12,427	9,806	3,678	4,447	..	51,686	2,013	..
Other ..	4,098	74	..	1,647	836	408	7,063	52,710	..
Other ..	39,950	31,403	15,600	13,979	11,709	5,538	118,179	292,157	..
Total ..	75,944	54,181	31,215	24,863	21,243	8,901	216,347	470,447	..
Surplus (+) or Deficit (—) ..	+2,406	—10,409	—2,308	—3,090	—3,844	—1,436	—18,681	—122,709	—141,390

(a) Represents the combined transactions of the Consolidated Revenue Fund and the Business Undertakings—Railways, Tramways and Omnibuses and Sydney Harbour Trust Section of the Maritime Services Board—Included in the Annual Budget Papers. Adjustments have been made to exclude duplications. (b) To avoid duplication in aggregating particulars for the Commonwealth and States, the grand totals have been adjusted to exclude State payments to the Commonwealth in respect of pay-roll tax and Commonwealth payments to the States included in State Consolidated Revenue Funds in respect of interest on State debts, special grants, financial assistance grants, special financial assistance, grants to universities, tuberculosis capital expenditure and National Welfare Fund payments. There are other relatively minor payments for which adjustments have not been made and the adjusted figures are therefore still slightly overstated. (c) Includes repayable advances and payments to State trust funds. (d) Excludes interest, etc., charges. (e) Includes loss by Transport Commission and working expenses of Metropolitan Transport Commission.

NET LOAN EXPENDITURE ON WORKS.
(£'000.)

Three months ended September—	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'land	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	Total Six States.	Common- wealth.	Grand Total.
1963 ..	13,894	12,226	5,115	4,246	3,566	1,535	40,582	6,430	47,012
1964 ..	13,798	11,456	4,952	6,359	2,657	1,507	40,729	17,730	58,459

TAXATION—COMMONWEALTH AND STATE, 1962-63.(a)

(£'000.)

State, etc.	Income Taxes.	Customs and Excise.	Land Tax.	Probate and Succession Duties.	Other Stamp Duties. (n.e.l.).	Motor Taxes.	Enter-tainments (including Racing).	All other Taxes.	Total Taxes.
New South Wales ..	..	..	10,144	17,780	16,937	22,007	2,984	8,239	78,091
Victoria ..	..	..	8,545	12,322	12,839	16,085	4,101	7,090	60,982
Queensland ..	..	..	1,655	4,861	5,077	9,388	1,286	4,756	27,023
South Australia ..	..	..	2,457	2,625	2,310	4,872	1,109	472	13,845
Western Australia ..	..	..	1,276	1,544	2,673	3,681	1,076	1,248	11,498
Tasmania ..	..	..	628	882	1,042	1,726	513	301	5,092
Total States ..	..	..	24,705	40,014	40,878	57,759	11,069	22,106	196,531
Commonwealth ..	810,590	379,503	..	17,850	..	..	..	^b 222,950	1,430,893
Grand Total ..	810,590	379,503	24,705	57,864	40,878	57,759	11,069	245,056	1,627,424

PER HEAD OF POPULATION.

(£ s.)

New South Wales ..	..	..	2 10	4 9	4 4	5 10	0 15	2 1	19 9
Victoria ..	..	..	2 17	4 2	4 5	5 6	1 7	2 7	20 4
Queensland ..	..	..	1 1	3 3	3 5	6 1	0 17	3 1	17 8
South Australia ..	..	..	2 9	2 12	2 6	4 18	1 2	0 10	13 17
Western Australia ..	..	..	1 13	2 0	3 10	4 16	1 8	1 13	15 0
Tasmania ..	..	..	1 15	2 9	2 18	4 15	1 8	0 16	14 1
Total States ..	..	..	2 6	3 15	3 16	5 8	1 1	2 1	18 7
Commonwealth ..	75 0	35 2	..	1 13	..	..	..	20 12	132 7
Grand Total ..	75 0	35 2	2 5	5 7	3 16	5 7	1 0	22 13	150 10

(a) Includes taxes paid to special funds. The collections have been grouped according to the nature of the tax rather than the method of collection. See page 82 for details of Commonwealth Taxation. (b) Includes Sales Tax, £156,531,000, £14 9s. per head of population; and Pay-Roll Tax, £63,255,000; £5 17s. per head of population; excludes departmental receipts relating to primary production and other charges.

TAXATION—COMMONWEALTH AND STATE.

(£'000.)

Year.	Taxation by Commonwealth Government.					Taxation by State Governments.	Total Taxation.
	Income Taxes.	Customs and Excise.	Sales Tax.	Other. (a)	Total. (a)		
1959-60 ..	671,294	336,492	164,185	71,350	1,243,321	160,979	1,404,300
1960-61 ..	807,266	359,194	173,040	78,850	1,418,350	168,423	1,586,778
1961-62 ..	828,150	350,805	148,824	80,797	1,408,576	177,481	1,586,057
1962-63 ..	810,590	379,503	156,531	84,269	1,430,893	196,531	1,627,424
1963-64 ..	937,242	407,518	162,595	91,402	1,598,757	..	..

PER HEAD OF POPULATION.

(£ s.)

1959-60 ..	66 0	33 2	16 3	7 0	122 5	15 19	138 2
1960-61 ..	77 13	34 11	16 13	7 12	136 9	16 7	152 14
1961-62 ..	78 2	33 1	14 1	7 12	132 16	16 13	149 11
1962-63 ..	75 0	35 2	14 9	7 16	132 7	18 7	150 10
1963-64 ..	85 0	36 19	14 15	8 6	145 0	..	..

(a) Excludes departmental receipts relating to primary production and other charges.

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES ON ISSUE: COMMONWEALTH AND STATES.

Note.—In the following tables, details of securities on issue and annual interest liability in respect of overseas loans are shown in the currencies in which they are repayable or payable respectively. The total of all such loans including loans repayable in Australia and the total annual interest liability thereon are shown in Australian currency equivalents at the rates of exchange ruling.

Particulars.	Currency in which Repayable or Payable.	At 30th June—				
		1960.	1961.	1962.	1963.	1964.
TOTAL GOVERNMENT SECURITIES ON ISSUE.						
Commonwealth	Australian Pounds .. £A. '000	1,378,574	1,326,454	1,280,474	1,259,364	1,284,357
	Sterling .. £Stg. '000	75,820	75,339	75,188	77,327	79,393
	United States Dollars U.S. \$ '000	333,049	317,812	315,617	302,025	351,347
	Swiss Francs .. Sw. Fr. '000	205,794	210,657	209,658	196,556	194,288
	Canadian Dollars Can. \$ '000	50,328	51,933	51,627	50,948	50,376
	Netherlands Guilders .. f. '000	..	..	7,150	7,150	7,150
	German Deutsche Marks D.M. '000	8,369	6,355	6,355	6,355	37,901
	Total(a) .. £A. '000	1,666,863	1,607,328	1,559,675	1,560,336	1,586,198
States ..	Australian Pounds .. £A. '000	2,244,605	2,389,864	2,548,700	2,696,670	2,874,821
	Sterling .. £Stg. '000	267,105	266,691	266,161	273,843	284,795
	United States Dollars U.S. \$ '000	161,538	178,256	187,701	227,930	220,966
	Swiss Francs .. Sw. Fr. '000	..	50,296	50,296	50,296	50,296
	Canadian Dollars Can. \$ '000	..	16,765	16,765	16,668	16,065
	Netherlands Guilders .. f. '000	..	..	32,850	32,850	32,850
	German Deutsche Marks D.M. '000	..	..	..	..	..
	Total(a) .. £A. '000	2,650,601	2,815,240	2,981,305	3,156,798	3,345,281
Grand Total..	Australian Pounds .. £A. '000	3,623,179	3,716,318	3,829,174	3,956,034	4,159,178
	Sterling .. £Stg. '000	342,925	342,030	341,349	351,170	364,188
	United States Dollars U.S. \$ '000	494,587	496,068	503,318	589,955	572,313
	Swiss Francs .. Sw. Fr. '000	205,794	260,953	259,954	246,852	244,584
	Canadian Dollars Can. \$ '000	50,328	68,698	68,392	67,616	66,441
	Netherlands Guilders .. f. '000	..	..	40,000	40,000	40,000
	German Deutsche Marks D.M. '000	8,369	6,355	6,355	6,355	37,901
	Total(a) .. £A. '000	4,317,464	4,422,568	4,540,980	4,717,134	4,931,479

ANNUAL INTEREST PAYABLE.

Grand Total ..	Australian Pounds .. £A. '000	136,808	147,349	155,559	161,339	172,254
	Sterling .. £Stg. '000	12,812	13,750	13,714	14,421	15,243
	United States Dollars U.S. \$ '000	22,173	22,470	24,029	28,938	28,223
	Swiss Francs .. Sw. Fr. '000	8,514	10,886	10,938	10,344	10,245
	Canadian Dollars Can. \$ '000	2,279	3,352	3,344	3,311	3,251
	Netherlands Guilders .. f. '000	..	..	2,000	2,000	2,000
	German Deutsche Marks D.M. '000	398	302	302	302	2,116
	Commonwealth(a) .. £A. '000	56,009	55,987	55,545	56,435	59,140
	States (a) .. £A. '000	108,662	121,194	130,663	138,553	147,639
	Total(a) .. £A. '000	164,671	177,181	186,208	194,988	206,779

AVERAGE RATES OF INTEREST PAYABLE PER CENT.

(Per Cent.)

Grand Total..	Australian Pounds	3.77	3.96	4.06	4.08	4.14
	Sterling	3.74	4.02	4.02	4.11	4.19
	United States Dollars	4.48	4.53	4.77	4.91	4.93
	Swiss Francs	4.14	4.21	4.21	4.19	4.19
	Canadian Dollars	4.53	4.88	4.89	4.90	4.89
	Netherlands Guilders .. ..	..	..	5.00	5.00	5.00
	German Deutsche Marks	4.75	4.75	4.75	4.75	5.58
	Total(a)	3.81	4.01	4.10	4.13	4.19

(a) See Note above.

NATIONAL PRODUCTION ACCOUNT.

(£ million.)

	1961-62.	1962-63.	1963-64.	1962-63.		1963-64.			
				3rd Qtr.	4th Qtr.	1st Qtr.	2nd Qtr.	3rd Qtr.	4th Qtr.
Wages, salaries and supplements ..	3,826	4,040	4,396	970	1,038	1,048	1,168	1,051	1,129
Gross operating surplus of trading enterprises	2,775	3,076	3,425	748	601	843	1,077	827	678
Indirect taxes less subsidies ..	787	859	911	221	230	213	228	216	254
Gross National Product ..	7,388	7,975	8,732	1,939	1,869	2,104	2,473	2,094	2,061
Imports of goods and services ..	1,090	1,287	1,407	315	334	340	326	352	389
National Turnover of Goods and Services ..	8,478	9,262	10,139	2,254	2,203	2,444	2,799	2,446	2,450
Net current expenditure on goods and services—									
Personal consumption	4,727	4,995	5,313	1,204	1,263	1,286	1,401	1,274	1,352
Financial enterprises	96	96	104	24	24	25	26	26	27
Public authorities ..	770	820	924	188	239	207	243	209	265
Gross fixed capital expenditure—									
Private ..	1,127	1,250	1,393	306	325	331	355	332	375
Public enterprises ..	365	382	423	82	122	90	103	94	136
Public authorities ..	292	307	344	67	103	68	88	73	115
Increase in value of stocks ..	-95	156	65	76	-165	60	119	16	-130
Statistical discrepancy ..	-20	29	11	-13	-36	20	58	21	-88
Gross National Expenditure ..	7,262	8,035	8,577	1,934	1,875	2,087	2,393	2,045	2,052
Exports of goods and services ..	1,216	1,227	1,562	320	328	357	406	401	398
National Turnover of Goods and Services ..	8,478	9,262	10,139	2,254	2,203	2,444	2,799	2,446	2,450

SECTION IX.—SOCIAL STATISTICS.

COMMONWEALTH EXPENDITURE ON SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES.(a)
(£'000.)

Service.	1961-62.	1962-63.	1963-64.	Three months ended September—	
				1963.	1964.
Social Services—					
Age and Invalid Pensions	180,245	187,754	199,940	44,459	48,591
Child Endowment	66,378	67,710	84,379	16,323	20,613
Commonwealth Rehabilitation Service ..	723	698	745	179	195
Funeral Benefits	376	401	406	119	136
Maternity Allowances	3,908	3,781	3,729	950	932
Unemployment, Sickness and Special Benefits	15,905	14,657	10,812	3,442	2,067
Widows' Pensions	15,094	15,677	20,784	4,144	5,177
National Health Services—					
Hospital Benefits	22,197	23,663	28,108	6,718	7,077
Medical Benefits	10,917	11,737	12,424	3,155	3,899
Medical Benefits for Pensioners	4,398	4,573	4,766	1,192	1,242
Milk for School Children	3,742	3,727	3,888	690	788
Pharmaceutical Benefits	26,092	28,522	29,118	6,574	9,058
Pharmaceutical Benefits for Pensioners ..	9,097	9,933	10,301	2,522	2,794
Tuberculosis Campaign	5,206	5,677	6,033	216	173
Miscellaneous	848	765	892	205	331
Rental Rebates	65	19	23	..	65
Home Saving Grants(b) .. .. .	..	..	..	..	937
Total	365,191	379,294	416,348	90,858	104,075

(a) Expenditure from the National Welfare Fund only. Administration and capital expenditure is excluded. (b) Under the *Homes Savings Grant Act 1964* there was no comparable expenditure in 1963-64 and previous years.

COMMONWEALTH AGE AND INVALID PENSIONS.

State and Year.	Number of Pensioners at 30th June.			Average Fortnightly Pension at 30th June.		Amount Paid during Year ended 30th June. (a)
	Age.	Invalid.	Total.	Age.	Invalid.	
1964—				£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£'000.
New South Wales	236,990	47,264	284,254	10 13 9	11 4 1	79,058
Victoria	159,658	24,962	184,620	10 13 8	11 3 11	50,118
Queensland	98,408	16,893	115,301	10 17 0	11 10 4	31,775
South Australia	57,280	8,293	65,573	10 12 6	11 4 3	18,060
Western Australia	41,819	8,306	50,125	10 13 6	11 4 8	13,686
Tasmania	18,803	3,363	22,166	10 14 5	11 8 2	6,171
Northern Territory	1,255	397	1,652	11 3 9	11 5 9	474
Australian Capital Territory	973	247	1,220	10 1 11	11 8 1	401
Abroad	(b)	(b)	(b)	..	..	197
Total	615,186	109,725	724,911	10 14 2	11 5 2	199,940
Total—						
1963	607,350	104,038	711,388	10 3 2	10 10 6	187,754
1962	594,012	97,246	691,258	10 3 11	10 10 6	180,245
1961	562,790	88,642	651,432	9 15 8	10 1 0	157,926
1960	538,022	80,816	618,838	9 0 7	9 9 4	147,005

(a) Includes amounts paid to benevolent homes for maintenance of pensioners and to pensioner inmates of these homes and allowances to wives of invalid pensioners. Since 1959, includes supplementary assistance. (b) Included in figures for State in which pensioner is ordinarily domiciled.

NOTE.—Age pensions are payable to women 60 years of age and over and to men 65 years of age and over; invalid pensions are payable to persons who are permanently incapacitated for work or who are permanently blind. Since 23rd September, 1964, the maximum rate is £6 for single pensioners and a married pensioner whose spouse is not receiving benefits. The rate for married couple pensioners is £5 10s. An allowance is also payable for the wife and children of an invalid pensioner. Age and invalid pensions (except those paid to blind persons) are subject to a means test on income and property. Supplementary assistance of 10s. a week is available to pensioners who pay rent and who are considered to depend entirely on the pension.

COMMONWEALTH CHILD ENDOWMENT.

State and Year.	Endowed Families at 30th June.		Institutions at 30th June.		Amount paid during Year ended 30th June.
	Claims in Force.	Endowed Children.	No.	Endowed Children.	
1964—					£'000.
New South Wales ..	607,170	1,281,102	142	6,987	29,590
Victoria ..	468,424	1,000,018	121	5,380	23,432
Queensland ..	233,458	538,533	59	2,770	12,763
South Australia ..	161,850	350,697	57	1,738	7,958
Western Australia ..	123,031	283,775	69	3,610	6,497
Tasmania ..	55,913	129,922	19	489	3,057
Northern Territory ..	6,168	19,318	35	5,368	419
Aust. Capital Territory ..	12,410	27,143	..	..	638
Abroad ..	268	539	..	..	25
Total ..	1,668,692	3,631,047	502	26,342	(a) 84,379
Total—					
1963 ..	1,535,388	3,432,166	497	25,454	67,710
1962 ..	1,523,074	3,395,449	479	24,685	66,378
1961 ..	1,501,180	3,313,225	465	27,077	(a) 74,303
1960 ..	1,476,835	3,228,657	443	23,756	62,532

(a) Expenditure for this year includes five twelve-weekly payments instead of the usual four twelve-weekly payments for endowments paid to the credit of bank accounts.

NOTE.—From January, 1964 the weekly rates are: 5s. for the first child in a family, 10s. for the second child, 15s. for the third and subsequent children under 16 years in families, 15s. for each child under 16 years in an institution, and 15s. for full-time student children between 16 and 21 years.

COMMONWEALTH WIDOWS' PENSIONS.

State and Year.	Pensions Current at 30th June.			Average Fortnightly Pension at 30th June.	Pensions paid during Year ended 30th June.
	Class "A" Pensioners. (a)	Other Widows. (b)	All Widows.		
1964—				£ s. d.	£'000.
New South Wales ..	9,862	13,619	23,481	13 8 2	7,836
Victoria ..	6,722	8,859	15,581	13 10 9	5,158
Queensland ..	4,759	5,241	10,000	13 17 3	3,425
South Australia ..	2,632	3,210	5,842	13 12 0	1,942
Western Australia ..	2,120	2,614	4,734	13 8 1	1,557
Tasmania ..	1,090	1,019	2,109	14 2 11	734
Northern Territory ..	80	85	165	14 5 11	55
Aust. Capital Territory ..	106	106	212	13 17 5	54
Abroad ..	(c)	(c)	(c)	..	23
Total ..	27,371	34,753	62,124	13 11 6	20,784
Total—					
1963 ..	25,261	33,216	58,477	10 8 11	15,677
1962 ..	24,584	32,252	56,836	10 8 9	15,094
1961 ..	24,491	30,945	55,436	9 16 3	13,468
1960 ..	23,240	28,682	51,922	9 5 8	12,137

(a) A widow who has at least one child under 16. (b) A widow who is not less than 50, and is without children under 16, a widow without children who is in need for not more than 26 weeks after the death of her husband, or until the birth of her child if she is pregnant. (c) Included in the figures for the State in which the pensioner is ordinarily domiciled.

NOTE.—Widows' pensions are subject to a means test on income and property. Supplementary assistance of 10s. per week is available to pensioners who pay rent and who are considered to depend entirely on the pension. Since 23rd September, 1964, the rates are: Class A, £8 a week and 15s. a week for all children under 16 years and full-time student children up to 18 years of age. Other widows receive £5 7s. 6d. a week.

COMMONWEALTH MATERNITY ALLOWANCES.

Year.	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'land.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Abroad.	Total.
NUMBER OF CLAIMS PAID.										
1959-60..	81,241	62,853	35,515	21,443	17,012	8,985	767	1,311	262	229,389
1960-61..	85,751	66,511	35,587	21,774	17,648	9,077	1,215	1,511	310	239,384
1961-62..	87,659	65,847	36,339	21,328	17,366	8,942	1,398	1,662	300	240,841
1962-63..	82,700	66,021	35,659	21,357	17,152	8,560	1,516	1,789	310	235,064
1963-64..	83,580	64,438	34,966	21,096	16,988	8,437	1,663	2,013	270	233,451

AMOUNT PAID. (£.)

1959-60..	1,277,403	1,007,870	574,487	336,583	274,816	142,745	12,354	21,098	4,143	3,651,499
1960-61..	1,399,352	1,068,672	589,699	359,188	283,966	148,021	19,567	24,202	5,104	3,897,771
1961-62..	1,441,869	1,057,054	588,974	344,762	279,444	144,654	22,643	23,993	4,943	3,908,336
1962-63..	1,332,381	1,058,708	576,279	342,700	275,981	138,284	24,320	27,789	4,938	3,781,880
1963-64..	1,324,697	1,032,263	564,086	337,731	272,756	136,114	26,788	29,956	4,269	3,728,660

NOTE.—Allowances payable are as follows: (i) no other children under 16 years, £15; (ii) one or two other children over 16 years, £16; (iii) three or more other children under 16 years, £17 10s. Where more than one child is born at a birth the allowance is increased by £5 in respect of each additional child born at that birth. The allowance is not subject to a means test.

UNEMPLOYMENT AND SICKNESS BENEFITS PAID.(a)

(For particulars of weekly average number of persons on benefit see page 103.)

(£.)

Period.	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'land.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust
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UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT.

Year—									
1959-60 ..	1,600,995	935,501	1,026,701	249,078	564,492	120,957	859	5,921	4,504,504
1960-61 ..	1,326,725	895,640	1,299,615	342,835	479,159	114,528	3,795	6,235	4,468,532
1961-62 ..	4,402,094	3,603,254	2,636,105	892,830	726,082	347,870	6,666	21,865	12,636,766
1962-63 ..	4,088,096	2,597,493	2,247,924	592,329	718,883	391,435	3,583	10,885	10,650,628
1963-64 ..	2,542,013	1,374,817	1,347,109	375,536	701,475	375,123	1,926	11,037	6,729,036
Quarter ended—									
June, 1963	968,949	515,074	468,868	144,272	176,067	70,454	803	1,813	2,346,300
September, "	1,005,145	570,934	261,285	145,072	230,306	129,652	449	3,263	2,346,156
December, "	520,904	338,646	292,428	92,652	165,651	107,126	444	1,608	1,519,459
March, 1964	602,966	253,262	532,423	73,862	172,865	75,917	610	2,833	1,714,738
June, "	412,998	211,925	260,973	63,950	132,653	62,428	423	3,333	1,148,683
September, "	340,461	205,592	109,612	64,774	158,670	118,226	445	2,974	1,000,754

SICKNESS BENEFIT.

Year—									
1959-60 ..	940,194	546,165	339,379	171,942	163,528	67,678	1,501	7,894	2,238,281
1960-61 ..	880,888	542,147	340,665	158,428	153,348	66,762	3,184	6,057	2,151,479
1961-62 ..	1,104,059	646,820	428,968	198,449	190,706	81,403	4,340	10,177	2,604,922
1962-63 ..	1,391,594	823,916	527,967	262,532	252,507	101,358	5,069	10,292	3,375,235
1963-64 ..	1,397,131	883,122	530,218	254,141	261,005	107,545	6,197	11,320	3,450,679
Quarter ended—									
June, 1963	329,432	211,851	132,841	67,842	67,677	23,709	1,337	3,031	837,720
September, "	390,232	240,591	138,072	64,516	64,448	30,093	1,420	2,663	932,035
December, "	337,319	232,996	132,581	66,076	70,928	28,874	1,694	2,651	873,119
March, 1964	342,162	190,165	131,655	58,107	60,993	24,780	1,400	2,513	811,775
June, "	327,418	219,370	127,910	65,442	64,636	23,798	1,683	3,493	833,750
September, "	375,947	226,170	124,225	65,322	69,121	33,287	1,272	2,794	898,138

(a) In addition £510,163 (Australian total) was paid in special benefits during 1959-60; £519,907 during 1960-61; £603,191 during 1961-62; £631,592 during 1962-63; £632,773 during 1963-64; £165,557 during the September quarter, 1964; these amounts include payments to migrants in reception and training centres.

NOTE.—The rates of benefit per week from 1st March, 1962 are £4 2s. 6d. for a married person or an unmarried adult, plus £3 for dependent spouse and 15s. for the first dependent child; for unmarried juveniles £1 15s. if under 18 years and £2 7s. 6d. if 18 and under 21 years. In certain cases £3 per week might be paid in respect of claimant's housekeeper. Permissible weekly income from other sources is £2 for adults and married persons and £1 for unmarried persons under 21. For unemployment benefit, permissible income means income of claimant and spouse; for sickness benefit, permissible income means income of claimant only. There is a waiting period of seven days for which no payment is made.

AUSTRALIAN WAR AND SERVICE PENSIONS.

War Pensions.

Place of Payment and Year.	Number of War Pensions Current at 30th June.					Expenditure during Year ended 30th June. (b)
	Incapacitated Ex-service-men.	Dependents of Incapacitated Ex-service-men.	Dependents of Deceased Ex-service-men.	Miscellaneous.(a)	Total.	
1964—						£'000
New South Wales(c) ..	76,737	129,367	19,867	336	226,307	26,629
Victoria	63,300	110,274	16,009	168	189,751	22,798
Queensland	31,899	59,456	6,972	353	98,680	11,542
South Australia(d) ..	21,106	39,462	5,033	95	65,696	6,768
Western Australia ..	19,273	33,540	4,197	37	57,047	5,782
Tasmania	8,659	17,366	1,879	9	27,913	3,079
Abroad	1,505	1,899	1,053	7	4,464	828
Total	222,479	391,364	55,010	1,005	669,858	77,426
Total—						
1963	219,778	397,008	53,615	817	671,218	70,483
1962	216,083	402,134	51,961	804	670,982	67,554
1961	212,161	398,905	50,224	789	662,079	66,278
1960	209,750	395,467	49,119	821	655,157	58,733

(a) War pensions payable under Seamen's War Pensions and Allowances Act, Interim Forces Benefits Act, Native Members of the Forces Benefits Act, Special Overseas Service Act and various Cabinet decisions. (b) Includes widows' allowances. (c) Includes Australian Capital Territory. (d) Includes Northern Territory.

Service Pensions.

State of Payment and Year.	Number of Service Pensions current at 30th June.					Expenditure during Year ended 30th June.
	Ex-service-men.	Dependants of—		Miscellaneous.(a)	Total	
		Living service Pensioners.	Deceased Service Pensioners.			
1964—						£'000
New South Wales(b) ..	15,617	3,910	833	..	20,360	3,990
Victoria.	12,160	3,147	567	..	15,874	2,827
Queensland	7,645	3,087	386	200	11,318	1,912
South Australia(c) ..	5,159	1,340	323	..	6,822	1,345
Western Australia ..	6,103	1,262	389	..	7,754	1,588
Tasmania	1,739	777	144	..	2,660	437
Australia	48,423	13,523	2,642	200	64,788	12,099
Australia—						
1963	46,256	13,375	2,530	..	62,161	10,829
1962	42,328	12,804	2,456	..	57,588	9,712
1961	36,043	11,981	2,278	..	50,302	7,783
1960	31,712	11,927	2,179	..	45,818	6,748

(a) Includes Native Members of the Forces and Act of Grace Pensions. (b) Includes Australian Capital Territory. (c) Includes Northern Territory.

NOTE.—Particulars of ex-servicewomen are included in the foregoing tables where relevant.

GOVERNMENT AND NON-GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS.

State or Territory and Year.	Schools.	Teachers.	Census Enrolment.(a)	
			Boys.	Girls.

GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS.				
1963—				
New South Wales ..	2,763	23,293	328,266	297,975
Victoria.. ..	2,223	19,041	249,176	220,664
Queensland	1,417	9,596	133,013	120,486
South Australia ..	656	7,326	98,218	88,032
Western Australia ..	527	4,488	70,454	63,329
Tasmania	288	3,102	36,249	33,384
Northern Territory ..	18	164	2,261	2,037
Australian Capital Territory	23	445	6,430	5,909
Australia	7,915	67,455	924,067	831,816
Australia—				
1962	7,904	63,243	901,606	811,035
1961	7,917	59,810	873,783	788,896
1960	7,886	56,837	845,007	767,039
1959	7,844	54,897	815,787	742,522

NON-GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS.				
1963—				
New South Wales ..	820	7,801	101,538	103,527
Victoria.. ..	562	6,016	84,901	88,852
Queensland	331	2,748	38,979	38,295
South Australia ..	166	1,484	18,124	18,907
Western Australia ..	197	1,192	17,471	18,708
Tasmania	66	599	6,756	7,438
Northern Territory ..	4	21	433	484
Australian Capital Territory	16	201	2,840	2,750
Australia	2,162	20,062	271,042	278,961
Australia—				
1962	2,143	18,800	264,690	272,396
1961	2,113	18,099	258,799	265,671
1960	2,084	17,452	249,962	258,059
1959	2,069	16,716	240,047	249,074

TOTAL—ALL SCHOOLS.				
1963—				
New South Wales ..	3,583	31,094	429,804	401,502
Victoria.. ..	2,785	25,057	334,077	309,516
Queensland	1,748	12,344	171,992	158,781
South Australia ..	822	8,810	116,342	106,939
Western Australia ..	724	5,680	87,925	82,037
Tasmania	354	3,701	43,005	40,822
Northern Territory ..	22	185	2,694	2,521
Australian Capital Territory	39	646	9,270	8,659
Australia	10,077	87,517	1,195,109	1,110,777
Australia—				
1962	10,047	82,043	1,166,296	1,083,431
1961	10,030	77,909	1,132,582	1,054,567
1960	9,970	74,289	1,094,969	1,025,098
1959	9,913	71,613	1,055,834	991,596

(a) In first week of August.

UNIVERSITIES. (a)

University.	Teaching and Research Staff.(b)		Students Enrolled. (d)	Degrees Conferred. (e)	Total Income. (f)	Total Expenditure. (f)
	Full-time.	Part-time.(c)				
		1964p		1963	1963p	
Australian National University ..	185	68	2,246	120	£'000. 7,756	£'000. 8,231
Sydney ..	806	1,172	15,526	1,675	8,881	7,903
New South Wales ..	772	763	10,687	737	7,842	7,551
New England ..	266	8	3,489	255	2,757	2,436
Melbourne ..	787	810	13,672	1,774	7,691	7,666
Monash ..	306	12	2,965	2	4,201	4,160
Queensland..	657	488	12,237	892	5,516	5,037
Adelaide ..	467	386	8,098	611	4,394	4,828
Western Australia ..	297	264	4,559	446	3,967	3,783
Tasmania ..	134	65	1,638	192	1,382	1,415
	4,677	4,036	75,117	6,704	54,387	53,010
Australia—						
1964	p4,677	p4,036	p75,117	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1963	4,292	3,757	(g)69,074	6,704	p54,387	p53,010
1962	3,901	3,472	(g)63,317	5,897	48,801	49,367
1961	3,396	3,199	(g)57,672	5,204	42,634	43,302

(a) Due to a major reorganization of university statistics in 1961 the figures in this table are not comparable with figures for 1960 and previous years. (b) Excludes "research only" staff. (c) Units of 100 teaching hours per annum. Figures for 1964 are estimated. (d) For 1964, figures are for enrolments to the end of March. Enrolments are for courses, i.e., a student enrolled for more than one course is counted more than once. (e) Twelve months ended 31st July. The 1961 figure relates to degrees conferred during the calendar year and includes 682 degrees which are also included in the 1962 figures. (f) Includes capital items and income and expenditure of funds not controlled by universities. (g) Adjusted for students enrolled in more than one course.

POLICE AND PRISONS.

State or Territory and Year.				Police.	Prisons.	Prisoners.
30th June, 1963—						
New South Wales	..	..	..	5,826	18	,050
Victoria	..	..	..	4,445	12	,942
Queensland	..	..	..	2,798	7	879
South Australia	..	..	..	1,752	14	688
Western Australia	..	..	..	1,184	19	640
Tasmania	..	..	..	629	1	228
Northern Territory	..	..	..	137	2	48
Australian Capital Territory	..	..	..	115	..	..
Australia ..	..	..	..	16,886	73	7,475
Australia—						
1962 ..	..	..	..	16,258	74	7,226
1961 ..	..	..	..	15,888	75	7,190
1960 ..	..	..	..	15,262	76	6,763
1959 ..	..	..	..	14,856	74	6,607

PUBLIC HOSPITALS.

State or Territory and Year.	At 30th June.				Year Ended 30th June.		
	Hos- pitals.	Beds.	Medical Staff. (a)	Nursing Staff.	In- patients (daily average) (b)	Revenue.	Expendi- ture.
1962-63—						£'000.	£'000.
New South Wales ..	269	23,415	6,145	15,139	16,811	c 37,800	c 43,725
Victoria ..	146	13,395	2,617	10,509	9,221	33,864	32,954
Queensland ..	139	12,545	903	6,060	8,378	18,465	18,287
South Australia ..	66	4,513	850	3,194	2,901	9,653	9,602
Western Australia ..	93	5,049	565	3,318	3,103	11,965	11,917
Tasmania ..	28	2,773	263	1,484	1,869	(c) 4,120	(c) 4,117
Northern Territory ..	4	480	20	230	370	1,267	1,267
Aust. Cap. Territory	1	343	85	306	259	1,603	1,556
Australia ..	746	62,513	11,448	40,240	42,912	118,737	123,427
Australia—							
1961-62	739	61,642	10,535	39,082	42,105	119,456	119,336
1960-61	736	60,982	10,386	37,607	41,009	109,399	108,556
1959-60	736	60,203	9,954	36,023	40,672	98,976	97,987
1958-59	733	58,544	9,354	34,372	40,021	90,512	90,156
1957-58	735	56,618	9,078	32,436	38,470	86,044	86,817

(a) Includes honorary medical staff—Australia, 8,122. (b) New born are excluded. Out-patient cases treated at public hospitals during 1962-63 were as follows:—New South Wales, 1,250,000; Victoria, 666,589; Queensland, 688,574; South Australia, 118,836; Western Australia, 153,000 (estimated); Tasmania, 93,000; Northern Territory, 93,518; Australian Capital Territory, 17,176; Australia, 3,080,693 (partly estimated). (c) Year 1961-62.

MENTAL HOSPITALS.

State and Year.	At 30th June.				Year Ended 30th June.		
	Hos- pitals.	Beds.	Medical Staff.	Nursing Staff.	Patients (daily average)	Revenue. (a) (1961-62)	Expendi- ture. (1961-62)
1962-63—						£'000.	£'000.
New South Wales ..	15	13,315	(b) 181	2,764	11,890	628	9,485
Victoria(c) ..	9	9,420	134	2,760	n.a.	626	8,655
Queensland(d) ..	5	4,308	18	1,172	3,776	117	2,771
South Australia ..	2	2,676	19	566	2,396	105	1,296
Western Australia (c)	6	1,926	16	440	1,821	102	1,477
Tasmania ..	1	850	5	212	759	24	663
Australia ..	38	32,495	319	7,914	n.a.	1,602	24,347
Australia—							
1961-62	38	32,113	346	7,587	28,706	1,602	24,347
1960-61	40	32,170	297	7,412	29,636	1,531	22,076
1959-60	40	32,191	281	7,106	31,051	1,163	20,355
1958-59	40	32,148	265	6,931	30,478	1,094	18,354
1957-58	39	31,710	261	6,819	30,099	1,054	18,388

(a) Excludes Government grants. (b) Includes 54 visiting paid specialists. (c) Year ended 31st December, 1963. (d) Includes the Epileptic Home.

SECTION X.—EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND WAGES.
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT—AUSTRALIA.(a)
('000.)

Month.	Civilian Employees in Main Industry Groups.								Total Civilian Employees.	
	Manu- facturing. (b)	Build- ing and Con- struction.	Trans- port and Stor- age.	Fin- ance and Prop- erty.	Com- merce.	Public Auth- ority Activ- ities (n.e.i.).	Comm- unity and Busi- ness Serv- ices. (c)	Amuse- ment, Hotels, Pers- onal Serv- ices, etc.	Private Em- ployers.	Govern- mental Au- thorities.
MALES.										
June—										
1962 ..	852.8	275.9	185.1	82.7	354.6	97.9	162.6	70.8	1,626.4	681.6
1963r ..	879.4	281.6	187.1	86.2	369.0	101.7	170.2	74.6	1,682.0	695.4
1964r ..	922.1	289.5	192.0	92.1	384.5	105.7	177.9	78.3	1,765.8	707.2
1963—	r	r							r	r
July ..	881.8	281.1	187.1	86.2	368.9	101.8	170.4	74.3	1,684.7	694.9
Aug. ..	882.4	281.6	187.2	86.4	370.2	101.9	170.8	75.1	1,689.1	694.4
1964—										
Mar. ..	(d)912.6	287.2	190.3	91.6	383.2	105.1	176.5	79.6	1,750.5	706.4
Apr. ..	917.3	288.3	191.0	91.9	383.7	105.3	176.9	78.4	1,755.7	707.7
May ..	918.3	289.7	191.9	91.9	384.3	105.6	177.3	78.4	1,760.2	708.1
June ..	922.1	289.5	192.0	92.1	384.5	105.7	177.9	78.3	1,765.8	707.2
July ..	925.8	288.7	191.9	92.1	383.6	105.9	178.0	78.5	1,769.6	706.5
Aug. ..	927.5	287.9	192.0	92.5	384.4	106.1	178.2	78.9	1,772.5	706.4
FEMALES.										
June—										
1962 ..	252.9	5.0	16.8	55.0	205.1	35.7	230.9	78.2	744.7	160.8
1963r ..	259.7	5.5	17.1	56.6	212.7	37.2	240.1	81.8	769.9	167.3
1964r ..	278.2	5.8	18.1	60.0	221.8	39.1	253.7	86.0	813.8	176.5
1963—	r							r	r	r
July ..	260.8	5.5	17.3	56.8	213.2	37.8	241.7	81.5	772.6	168.4
Aug. ..	263.3	5.5	17.3	56.8	212.2	37.8	241.9	82.4	775.1	168.6
1964—										
Mar. ..	279.2	5.6	17.9	60.0	219.8	38.8	249.2	86.9	810.0	174.8
Apr. ..	277.2	5.7	18.0	60.0	220.1	38.8	251.3	86.2	809.5	175.5
May ..	277.5	5.7	18.1	59.9	221.7	39.0	252.0	86.3	812.0	175.6
June ..	278.2	5.8	18.1	60.0	221.8	39.1	253.7	86.0	813.8	176.5
July ..	280.2	6.0	18.2	60.0	221.0	39.9	254.5	86.6	816.3	177.9
Aug. ..	281.7	6.0	18.2	59.9	221.6	40.2	254.6	87.2	819.3	178.3
PERSONS.										
June—										
1962 ..	1,105.7	280.9	201.9	137.7	559.7	133.6	393.5	149.0	2,371.1	842.4
1963r ..	1,139.1	287.1	204.2	142.8	581.7	138.9	410.3	156.4	2,451.9	862.7
1964r ..	1,200.3	295.3	210.1	152.1	606.3	144.8	431.6	164.3	2,579.6	883.7
1963—	r	r						r	r	r
July ..	1,142.6	286.6	204.4	143.0	582.1	139.6	412.1	155.8	2,457.3	863.3
Aug. ..	1,145.7	287.1	204.5	143.2	582.4	139.7	412.7	157.5	2,464.2	863.0
1964—										
Mar. ..	d1,191.8	292.8	208.2	151.6	603.0	143.9	425.7	166.5	2,560.5	881.2
Apr. ..	1,194.5	294.0	209.0	151.9	603.8	144.1	428.2	164.6	2,565.2	883.2
May ..	1,195.8	295.4	210.0	151.8	606.0	144.6	429.3	164.7	2,572.2	883.7
June ..	1,200.3	295.3	210.1	152.1	606.3	144.8	431.6	164.3	2,579.6	883.7
July ..	1,206.0	294.7	210.1	152.1	604.6	145.8	432.5	165.1	2,585.9	884.4
Aug. ..	1,209.2	293.9	210.2	152.4	606.0	146.3	432.8	166.1	2,591.8	884.7

(a) The figures in this table are based on comprehensive data from the population Census of June, 1961. Estimates for months subsequent to June, 1961, are derived from current Payroll Tax returns, returns of Government employment, other direct records of employment, and estimates of the number of employees not covered by these collections. Employees in Rural Industry and Private Domestic Service, and Defence Forces, are excluded. (b) Includes employees engaged in selling and distribution, etc., as well as those occupied directly in manufacturing activity. (c) Includes Law and Order, Religion and Social Welfare, Health Services, Education and Other Community and Business Services. (d) Affected by industrial disputes.

NOTE.—Figures for the period from July, 1962, have been revised following analysis of the results of the annual factory census of 1962–63. Some revisions for industry groups other than Manufacturing have also been incorporated.

WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT—STATES.(a)

('000.)

Month.	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T. (b)	Australia.
MALES.									
June—1960 ..	870.6	643.5	293.7	206.4	147.5	72.6	7.2	15.3	2,256.8
1961 ..	876.5	643.6	291.7	207.5	148.5	73.2	7.3	16.0	2,264.3
1962 ..	894.2	654.3	294.5	211.2	154.7	73.6	7.5	18.0	2,308.0
1963r	914.9	675.4	304.8	219.6	159.4	74.9	8.0	20.4	2,377.4
1964r	949.6	704.6	317.5	229.5	163.9	77.2	8.9	21.8	2,473.0
1963—July ..	914.6	674.8	306.2	221.2	159.3	75.0	8.2	20.3	2,379.6
Aug. ..	917.9	674.9	306.2	221.1	159.7	74.9	8.2	20.6	2,383.5
Nov. ..	930.9	687.6	307.5	223.2	162.3	75.9	8.1	21.1	2,416.6
Dec. ..	932.9	690.5	303.2	224.5	163.4	76.9	8.1	21.4	2,420.9
1964—Jan. ..	936.1	694.1	306.4	225.7	163.5	77.1	8.2	21.7	2,432.8
Feb. ..	940.7	699.2	310.5	227.2	163.7	77.6	8.2	21.8	2,448.9
Mar. ..	944.4	701.3	311.4	228.4	163.6	77.8	8.2	21.8	2,456.9
Apr. ..	946.5	702.1	314.9	228.3	163.5	77.7	8.5	21.9	2,463.4
May ..	947.5	703.1	316.8	228.6	164.1	77.6	8.7	21.9	2,468.3
June ..	949.6	704.6	317.5	229.5	163.9	77.2	8.9	21.8	2,473.0
July ..	951.3	704.3	319.1	229.9	163.8	76.7	8.9	22.1	2,476.1
Aug. ..	952.3	705.7	319.2	230.6	163.8	76.1	8.9	22.3	2,478.9

FEMALES.

June—1960 ..	342.7	269.7	102.3	72.6	50.4	24.5	2.0	5.5	869.7
1961 ..	343.6	266.2	102.1	72.3	51.2	24.9	2.3	6.3	868.9
1962 ..	359.0	276.5	104.7	76.7	53.4	25.5	2.5	7.2	905.5
1963r	369.8	285.0	108.9	80.9	55.5	25.5	2.9	8.7	937.2
1964r	390.2	299.9	115.3	86.5	58.4	27.0	3.0	10.0	990.3
1963—July ..	371.4	286.4	109.4	81.3	55.6	25.3	2.9	8.7	941.0
Aug. ..	372.4	286.9	110.3	81.3	55.7	25.4	2.9	8.8	943.7
Nov. ..	383.5	292.7	111.3	83.4	57.1	26.0	2.8	9.2	966.0
Dec. ..	383.5	292.7	110.5	84.1	56.9	26.7	2.9	9.3	966.6
1964—Jan. ..	381.1	293.7	111.1	84.3	56.8	26.5	2.8	9.4	965.7
Feb. ..	383.1	298.6	113.0	85.4	57.6	26.9	2.8	9.8	977.2
Mar. ..	386.9	300.1	113.1	86.5	58.1	27.4	2.9	9.8	984.8
Apr. ..	387.3	299.3	113.4	86.6	58.1	27.5	2.9	9.9	985.0
May ..	389.0	299.2	114.6	86.5	58.3	27.1	2.9	10.0	987.6
June ..	390.2	299.9	115.3	86.5	58.4	27.0	3.0	10.0	990.3
July ..	392.1	300.8	116.1	86.8	58.4	26.8	3.1	10.1	994.2
Aug. ..	393.7	300.9	117.0	87.4	58.5	26.7	3.1	10.3	997.6

PERSONS.

June—1960 ..	1,213.3	913.2	396.0	279.0	197.9	97.1	9.2	20.8	3,126.5
1961 ..	1,220.1	909.8	393.8	279.8	199.7	98.1	9.6	22.3	3,133.2
1962 ..	1,253.2	930.8	399.2	287.9	208.1	99.1	10.0	25.2	3,213.5
1963r	1,284.7	960.4	413.7	300.5	214.9	100.4	10.9	29.1	3,314.6
1964r	1,339.8	1,004.5	432.8	316.0	222.3	104.2	11.9	31.8	3,463.3
1963—July ..	1,286.0	961.2	415.6	302.5	214.9	100.3	11.1	29.0	3,320.6
Aug. ..	1,290.3	961.8	416.5	302.4	215.4	100.3	11.1	29.4	3,327.2
Nov. ..	1,314.4	980.3	418.8	306.6	219.4	101.9	10.9	30.3	3,382.6
Dec. ..	1,316.4	983.2	413.7	308.6	220.3	103.6	11.0	30.7	3,387.5
1964—Jan. ..	1,317.2	987.8	417.5	310.0	220.3	103.6	11.0	31.1	3,398.5
Feb. ..	1,323.8	997.8	423.5	312.6	221.3	104.5	11.0	31.6	3,426.1
Mar. ..	1,331.3	1,001.4	424.5	314.9	221.7	105.2	11.1	31.6	3,441.7
Apr. ..	1,335.8	1,001.4	428.3	314.9	221.6	105.2	11.4	31.8	3,448.4
May ..	1,336.5	1,002.3	431.4	315.1	222.4	104.7	11.6	31.9	3,455.9
June ..	1,339.8	1,004.5	432.8	316.0	222.3	104.2	11.9	31.8	3,463.3
July ..	1,343.4	1,005.1	435.2	316.7	222.2	103.5	12.0	32.2	3,470.3
Aug. ..	1,346.0	1,006.6	436.2	318.0	222.3	102.8	12.0	32.6	3,476.5

(a) See footnote (a) on page 101.
Territory who reside in adjoining areas.(b) Includes persons employed in the Australian Capital
Note.—See note on page 101.

UNEMPLOYMENT AND SICKNESS BENEFITS.

Average Number of Persons on Benefit at end of each week.(a)

(For particulars of benefits paid, see page 96.)

Period.	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'land.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT									
Year—1959-60 ..	8,022	4,406	4,600	1,223	2,512	578	4	29	21,374
1960-61 ..	6,786	4,383	6,041	1,610	2,154	549	18	28	21,569
1961-62 ..	19,128	14,833	10,756	3,643	2,932	1,541	29	88	52,950
1962-63 ..	15,793	9,072	8,369	2,244	2,674	1,497	13	44	39,706
1963-64 ..	10,296	4,963	4,994	1,513	2,677	1,435	6	41	25,925
Quarter ended—									
June, 1963	15,698	7,685	7,891	2,172	2,795	1,297	11	36	37,585
September, "	14,684	7,754	4,066	2,194	3,277	1,964	6	42	33,987
December, "	9,312	4,595	4,466	1,348	2,380	1,550	4	29	23,684
March, 1964	9,754	4,144	7,374	1,321	2,798	1,135	9	45	26,580
June, "	7,436	3,361	4,082	1,188	2,256	1,089	6	46	19,464
September, "	5,904	2,978	1,984	1,034	2,367	1,675	6	43	15,991

SICKNESS BENEFIT.

Year—1959-60 ..	3,676	2,077	1,370	651	700	252	4	25	8,755
1960-61 ..	3,440	2,079	1,429	617	665	250	9	24	8,513
1961-62 ..	3,727	2,312	1,578	679	685	262	15	28	9,286
1962-63 ..	4,474	2,434	1,713	759	790	302	15	27	10,514
1963-64 ..	4,514	2,731	1,753	788	866	300	16	26	10,994
Quarter ended—									
June, 1963	4,353	2,398	1,769	760	827	305	15	28	10,455
September, "	4,716	2,794	1,785	838	908	309	16	24	11,390
December, "	4,607	2,781	1,745	791	887	320	12	24	11,167
March, 1964	4,324	2,626	1,738	746	818	278	16	26	10,572
June, "	4,411	2,722	1,746	774	850	293	20	30	10,846
September, "	4,652	2,757	1,651	814	831	331	14	28	11,078

SPECIAL (ORDINARY) BENEFIT.

Year—1959-60 ..	699	740	431	174	135	113	1	2	2,265
1960-61 ..	686	874	406	160	148	114	..	3	2,391
1961-62 ..	625	957	371	135	151	96	1	3	2,339
1962-63 ..	685	1,056	381	135	129	102	1	1	2,490
1963-64 ..	737	1,063	399	141	122	118	3	1	2,584
Quarter ended—									
June, 1963	685	1,054	386	137	124	104	2	1	2,493
September, "	707	1,077	362	144	127	109	3	1	2,530
December, "	763	1,054	403	137	124	116	2	1	2,600
March, 1964	742	1,035	433	140	120	122	2	1	2,595
June, "	736	1,086	400	143	116	123	6	1	2,611
September, "	745	1,093	363	147	113	126	4	3	2,594

(a) In addition, the average number of migrants in reception and training centres receiving special benefits at end of each week—1959-60, 355; 1960-61, 438; 1961-62, 528; 1962-63, 157; 1963-64, 100; quarter ended September, 1964, 52.

INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES—STATES.(a)

Period.	Disputes.	Workers Involved.			Working Days Lost.		Estimated Loss in Wages (£'000).
		Directly.	In-directly. (b)	Total.	Number.	Average per Worker Involved.	
NEW SOUTH WALES.							
Year—1962 ..	752	195,344	13,623	208,967	303,400	1.45	1,285.9
1963 ..	817	214,643	4,333	218,976	307,440	1.40	1,314.7
Qtr.—March, 1963	184	47,088	1,796	48,884	72,578	1.48	307.8
June, "	170	47,896	503	48,399	58,451	1.21	253.7
Sept., "	263	49,816	1,527	51,343	81,002	1.58	360.1
Dec., "	200	69,843	507	70,350	95,409	1.36	393.1
March, 1964	195	62,665	582	63,247	72,422	1.15	313.6
June, "	204	51,690	1,422	53,112	67,274	1.27	321.6
VICTORIA.							
Year—1962 ..	166	72,525	720	73,245	100,606	1.37	418.6
1963 ..	180	85,757	2,221	87,978	172,963	1.97	755.0
Qtr.—March, 1963	35	13,151	165	13,316	14,114	1.06	55.7
June, "	42	17,395	113	17,508	34,142	1.95	147.0
Sept., "	47	27,749	1,764	29,513	57,733	1.96	269.2
Dec., "	56	27,462	179	27,641	66,974	2.42	283.1
March, 1964	46	42,575	133	42,708	48,137	1.13	195.0
June, "	54	69,328	406	69,734	83,239	1.19	362.6
QUEENSLAND.							
Year—1962 ..	175	33,445	8,321	41,766	75,951	1.82	299.4
1963 ..	180	37,047	7,266	44,313	54,861	1.24	234.0
Qtr.—March, 1963	41	8,480	907	9,387	9,185	0.98	41.5
June, "	41	13,070	2,457	15,527	16,766	1.08	68.3
Sept., "	45	10,677	3,306	13,983	20,680	1.48	87.0
Dec., "	33	4,820	596	5,416	8,230	1.52	37.2
March, 1964	51	15,375	2,433	17,808	29,651	1.67	121.9
June, "	47	22,708	3,136	25,844	38,173	1.48	154.4
SOUTH AUSTRALIA.							
Year—1962 ..	31	11,748	100	11,848	14,599	1.23	59.4
1963 ..	35	11,938	107	12,045	8,957	0.74	41.0
Qtr.—March, 1963	13	4,939	..	4,939	2,715	0.55	11.5
June, "	7	3,432	76	3,508	2,875	0.82	14.3
Sept., "	7	2,452	..	2,452	1,709	0.70	6.8
Dec., "	8	1,115	31	1,146	1,658	1.45	8.4
March, 1964	18	6,642	109	6,751	3,993	0.59	17.1
June, "	12	4,077	80	4,157	2,788	0.67	12.6
WESTERN AUSTRALIA.							
Year—1962 ..	28	8,280	83	8,363	6,300	0.75	25.0
1963 ..	28	42,390	194	42,584	31,969	0.75	126.2
Qtr.—March, 1963	4	2,380	..	2,380	2,676	1.12	11.6
June, "	6	3,741	..	3,741	2,821	0.75	12.5
Sept., "	5	2,746	..	2,746	2,945	1.07	13.3
Dec., "	13	33,523	194	33,717	23,527	0.70	88.8
March, 1964	1	45	..	45	73	1.62	0.4
June, "	10	2,516	66	2,582	3,760	1.43	16.1
TASMANIA.							
Year—1962 ..	18	5,048	78	5,126	3,993	0.78	17.5
1963 ..	11	5,019	..	5,019	2,933	0.58	13.5
Qtr.—March, 1963	2	1,582	..	1,582	1,270	0.80	5.4
June, "	3	2,264	..	2,264	1,076	0.48	5.1
Sept., "	4	597	..	597	267	0.45	1.2
Dec., "	2	576	..	576	320	0.56	1.8
March, 1964	2	62	..	62	43	0.69	0.2
June, "	1	131	..	131	66	0.50	0.3
AUSTRALIA.(c)							
Year—1962 ..	1,183	330,823	23,030	353,853	508,755	1.44	2,122.1
1963 ..	1,250	398,567	14,141	412,708	581,568	1.41	2,495.7
Qtr.—March, 1963	280	77,654	2,868	80,522	102,598	1.27	433.8
June, "	276	88,479	3,169	91,648	117,131	1.28	505.5
Sept., "	379	94,802	6,597	101,399	165,451	1.63	742.7
Dec., "	315	137,632	1,507	139,139	196,388	1.41	813.7
March, 1964	313	127,364	3,257	130,621	154,319	1.18	648.2
June, "	331	152,272	5,110	157,382	195,901	1.25	870.4

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INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES: INDUSTRY GROUPS—AUSTRALIA.(a)

Period.	Mining and Quarrying.		Manu- facturing.	Building and Con- struction.	Transport.		Other Groups.	All Groups.
	Coal Mining.	Other.			Steve- doring.	Other.		
NUMBER.								
Year—1959 ..	330	15	225	38	189	53	19	869
1960 ..	329	13	316	99	308	59	21	1,145
1961 ..	235	9	270	101	151	37	12	815
1962 ..	299	5	493	135	180	45	21	1,183
1963 ..	222	9	489	146	312	49	23	1,250
Qtr.—March, 1963	51	2	122	38	54	9	4	280
June, "	44	3	89	34	96	8	2	276
Sept., "	71	2	154	40	91	14	7	379
Dec., "	56	2	124	34	71	18	10	315
March, 1964	48	1	147	24	74	14	5	313
June, "	58	3	131	43	82	7	7	331

TOTAL WORKERS INVOLVED (DIRECTLY AND INDIRECTLY).

Year—1959 ..	42,705	10,654	71,085	9,108	72,345	21,251	10,323	237,471
1960 ..	63,200	8,506	104,661	11,610	179,103	128,570	17,629	603,279
1961 ..	41,097	6,271	123,853	21,872	61,092	39,591	6,581	300,357
1962 ..	38,202	2,091	132,194	27,728	121,245	29,675	2,658	353,853
1963 ..	29,059	4,513	186,641	23,809	118,438	37,928	12,320	412,708
Qtr.—March, 1963	8,511	122	28,638	4,447	34,933	2,894	977	80,522
June, "	5,642	205	24,109	3,692	56,204	480	1,256	91,648
Sept., "	9,038	1,257	66,177	6,929	10,913	5,135	1,950	101,399
Dec., "	5,868	2,869	67,717	8,741	16,388	29,419	8,137	139,139
March, 1964	5,583	1,500	53,069	5,340	33,499	25,687	5,943	130,621
June, "	11,851	3,449	61,316	14,533	37,222	25,193	3,818	157,382

TOTAL WORKING DAYS LOST.

Year—1959 ..	69,648	18,106	180,376	21,507	58,695	8,596	8,111	365,039
1960 ..	107,773	51,310	232,289	39,465	167,820	93,576	32,874	725,107
1961 ..	70,767	113,107	266,465	48,302	61,467	32,281	14,422	606,811
1962 ..	43,739	2,796	203,618	49,376	86,571	28,292	4,363	508,755
1963 ..	45,914	4,807	343,505	52,915	95,050	25,623	13,754	581,568
Qtr.—March, 1963	14,440	260	54,812	6,744	22,718	2,714	910	102,598
June, "	8,077	474	43,170	8,927	54,411	525	1,547	117,131
Sept., "	11,994	1,204	121,099	14,310	8,253	5,899	2,692	165,451
Dec., "	11,403	2,869	124,424	22,934	9,668	16,485	8,605	196,388
March, 1964	3,769	1,500	82,023	15,272	18,777	29,444	3,534	154,319
June, "	12,771	7,126	95,086	22,008	25,793	24,477	8,640	195,901

ESTIMATED LOSS IN WAGES.

(£'000.)

Year—1959 ..	262.4	96.1	655.6	90.2	217.1	26.9	28.9	1,377.2
1960 ..	453.1	320.7	880.0	187.1	672.1	321.9	91.9	2,926.8
1961 ..	301.9	724.3	1,040.8	229.3	245.7	128.6	53.2	2,723.8
1962 ..	187.7	13.8	1,199.9	223.3	367.9	113.7	15.8	2,122.1
1963 ..	209.4	21.2	1,453.4	248.6	415.2	101.8	46.1	2,495.7
Qtr.—March, 1963	67.1	1.2	222.0	30.2	96.6	13.0	3.7	433.8
June, "	37.4	2.3	178.1	45.6	233.8	2.0	6.3	505.5
Sept., "	53.6	7.9	537.5	69.6	38.4	25.8	9.9	742.7
Dec., "	51.3	9.8	515.8	103.2	46.4	61.0	26.2	813.7
March, 1964	16.5	7.0	325.6	72.1	91.0	122.3	13.7	648.2
June, "	60.1	47.9	407.1	98.9	124.0	97.4	35.0	870.4

(a) Refers only to disputes involving a stoppage of work of ten man-days or more. (b) Persons thrown out of work at the establishments where the stoppages occurred but not themselves parties to the dispute. (c) Includes the Northern Territory and the Australian Capital Territory.

NOTE.—Disputes not settled at the end of a year are included as new disputes in the figures for the following year. Disputes not settled at the end of a quarter are not counted in the number of disputes for the following quarter, but additional workers involved and working days and wages lost are included.

TRADE UNIONS AND MEMBERSHIP.

Year.	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'land.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T. (a)	A.C.T. (a)	Australia
NUMBER OF SEPARATE UNIONS.									
1959	234	159	129	135	154	97	23	29	(b) 369
1960	231	157	133	136	155	101	25	31	363
1961	226	156	133	134	152	103	24	34	355
1962	222	155	135	133	152	103	23	38	347
1963	227	154	137	134	154	103	30	54	347

NUMBER OF MEMBERS. ('000.)									
1959	741.6	461.3	322.1	147.1	114.5	54.1	2.6	7.4	1,850.7
1960	768.5	479.2	327.4	153.5	115.9	56.0	3.1	8.8	1,912.4
1961	743.5	486.8	329.8	151.5	115.0	56.9	2.9	8.2	1,894.6
1962	765.5	498.0	334.0	160.4	121.0	57.3	3.3	11.0	1,950.5
1963	782.7	514.9	339.4	161.1	129.0	57.4	3.3	15.7	2,003.5

(a) In some cases, union members in the Territories associated with State organizations are reported under the heading of that State. The annual figures reflect, in part, progressive movements to more accurate reporting, and the comparability of totals for the Territories is affected by this aspect.
(b) Without interstate duplication. The State figures do not add to the Australian total because a union represented in more than one State is included in the figure for each State in which it is represented, but is counted only once in the Australian total.

AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS(a) PER EMPLOYED MALE UNIT.(b)

The following figures are derived from employment and wages and salaries recorded on Payroll Tax returns, from other direct collections and from estimates of the unrecorded balance. Pay of members of the Defence Forces is not included. Indexes of average weekly earnings, seasonally adjusted, are published in the monthly bulletin *Wage Rates and Earnings* and the *Monthly Review of Business Statistics*.

(£.)

Period.	New South Wales (c)	Victoria.	Queens- land.	South Australia. (d)	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Australia.
Year—							
1959-60 ..	22.83	22.74	19.71	20.91	19.61	20.96	21.93
1960-61 ..	24.06	23.58	20.79	21.68	20.77	21.66	22.98
1961-62 ..	24.55	24.26	21.61	22.37	21.51	22.64	23.62
1962-63 ..	25.08	25.05	22.18	22.89	22.12	22.95	24.22
1963-64 ..	26.29	26.23	23.34	24.05	23.59	24.28	25.43
Quarter—							
December, 1962	26.23	25.64	23.24	23.69	22.66	22.93	25.10
March, 1963	23.86	24.17	20.92	22.25	21.28	22.26	23.20
June, ..	25.74	25.93	22.38	23.00	22.50	24.15	24.83
September, ..	25.33	25.49	22.77	23.33	23.30	23.24	24.65
December, ..	27.70	27.93	24.48	25.12	24.87	25.42	26.85
March, 1964 ..	25.01	24.86	22.18	23.21	22.37	23.63	24.21
June, ..	27.09	26.66	23.91	24.52	23.80	24.80	26.02

(a) Includes, in addition to wages at award rates, earnings of salaried employees, overtime earnings, over-award and bonus payments, payments made in advance or retrospectively during the periods specified, etc. (b) Total wages and salaries, etc., divided by total civilian employment expressed in male units. Male units represent total male employment plus a proportion of female employment based on the approximate ratio of female to male earnings. As it is not possible to estimate the ratio of female to male earnings in the several States, the same ratio has been used for each State. Because the actual ratio may vary between States, precise comparisons between average earnings in different States cannot be made on the basis of the figures above. (c) Includes Australian Capital Territory. (d) Includes Northern Territory.

NOTE.—Quarterly figures are affected by seasonal influences. Comparisons as to trend are generally best made by relating complete years or corresponding periods of incomplete years. However, comparisons of December quarter, 1963, and March and June quarters, 1964, with the corresponding quarters of previous years are affected by additional prepayments arising from extensions of annual leave from two to three weeks.

INDEXES OF MINIMUM WAGE RATES AND HOURS OF WORK.

NOTE.—The indexes of weighted average minimum weekly and hourly wage rates and standard hours of work shown on this and the following two pages are based, in the main, on the occupation structure existing in 1954.

Each of the occupations included in the indexes is individually weighted. From the wage rates and hours of work for these occupations, weighted averages are calculated for each industry and for all groups.

In the following tables the weighted averages so calculated are shown in shillings and pence and also as index numbers with the weighted average for the year 1954 as base (= 100).

For details of wage rates and index numbers from 1939 reference should be made to the following Statistical Bulletins:—S.B. 123, *Minimum Weekly Wage Rates, 1939 to 1959*; and S.B. 31, *Minimum Wage Rates, January, 1960 to June, 1963*.

Current information is contained in the monthly bulletin *Wage Rates and Earnings*.

MINIMUM WEEKLY WAGE RATES(a) : ALL GROUPS.

Indexes of Weighted Average Minimum Weekly Rates payable for a Full Week's Work (excluding overtime), as prescribed in Awards, Determinations and Agreements, and Index Numbers of Wage Rates.

End of—			N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.
ADULT MALES—RATES OF WAGE.(b)									
			s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
December, 1959	..	..	350 3	344 2	334 4	339 11	340 9	347 1	344 8
" 1960	..	..	362 10	349 11	350 8	342 2	358 1	351 6	355 0
" 1961	..	..	373 5	362 2	359 10	354 7	363 9	362 8	365 9
" 1962	..	..	373 8	363 8	359 8	356 6	365 8	364 9	366 7
" 1963	..	..	382 4	372 0	369 11	363 8	375 0	372 10	375 3
June, 1964	..	..	399 5	388 6	374 4	384 2	380 8	393 10	390 1

ADULT MALES—INDEX NUMBERS (BASE: AUSTRALIA, 1954 = 100).

December, 1959	..	..	124.0	121.9	118.4	120.4	120.7	122.9	122.0
" 1960	..	..	128.5	123.9	124.2	121.2	126.8	124.5	125.7
" 1961	..	..	132.2	128.2	127.4	125.6	128.8	128.4	129.5
" 1962	..	..	132.3	128.8	127.4	126.2	129.5	129.2	129.8
" 1963	..	..	135.4	131.7	131.0	128.8	132.8	132.0	132.9
June, 1964	..	..	141.4	137.6	132.5	136.0	134.8	139.4	138.1

ADULT FEMALES—RATES OF WAGE.(b)

			s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
December, 1959	..	..	249 3	241 3	229 8	239 2	224 1	234 3	242 2
" 1960	..	..	261 3	246 7	239 4	242 11	251 2	238 10	251 8
" 1961	..	..	269 2	256 7	255 6	252 0	256 7	248 3	261 2
" 1962	..	..	269 1	256 8	255 9	252 4	262 2	248 4	261 6
" 1963	..	..	274 7	260 7	261 6	255 1	266 5	251 11	266 3
June, 1964	..	..	290 5	272 1	266 6	271 9	272 1	269 4	279 1

ADULT FEMALES—INDEX NUMBERS (BASE: AUSTRALIA, 1954 = 100).

December, 1959	..	..	125.2	121.2	115.4	120.1	112.6	117.7	121.6
" 1960	..	..	131.2	123.9	120.2	122.0	126.2	120.0	126.4
" 1961	..	..	135.2	128.9	128.3	126.6	128.9	124.7	131.2
" 1962	..	..	135.2	128.9	128.5	126.7	131.7	124.7	131.4
" 1963	..	..	137.9	130.9	131.4	128.1	133.8	126.5	133.7
June, 1964	..	..	145.9	136.7	133.9	136.5	136.7	135.3	140.2

(a) Excludes Rural. (b) The amounts shown should not be regarded as actual current averages but as indexes expressed in money terms, indicative of trends.

WEEKLY AND HOURLY RATES OF WAGE AND WEEKLY HOURS OF WORK: ADULT MALES, INDUSTRY GROUPS, 30th JUNE, 1964.(a)

Indexes of Weighted Average Minimum Weekly Rates payable for a Full Week's Work (excluding overtime), and Weekly Hours of Work, as prescribed in Awards, Determinations and Agreements, and Indexes of Hourly Rates.

Industry Group.	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.
WEEKLY RATES OF WAGE.							
Mining and Quarrying(b)	493 9	391 4	458 0	380 6	408 6	393 5	459 10
Manufacturing—							
Engineering, Metals, Vehicles, etc. ..	388 6	384 6	376 9	385 10	381 1	399 11	386 0
Textiles, Clothing and Footwear ..	382 3	375 6	370 11	366 11	375 2	371 5	377 1
Food, Drink and Tobacco ..	386 7	396 4	387 11	374 6	382 7	385 5	384 8
Sawmilling, Furniture, etc. ..	392 6	374 0	353 1	380 10	367 2	381 3	376 5
Paper, Printing, etc. ..	417 9	422 7	412 2	414 9	437 6	397 5	417 11
Other Manufacturing ..	390 2	379 6	356 10	380 1	369 0	384 5	381 10
All Manufacturing Groups ..	390 1	385 7	370 1	383 9	378 9	390 9	385 5
Building and Construction ..	402 11	406 11	356 7	388 6	377 5	397 11	392 4
Railway Services ..	394 10	364 4	376 1	374 5	363 5	387 8	378 4
Road and Air Transport ..	403 3	381 11	348 3	374 1	379 4	383 4	385 4
Shipping and Stevedoring(c) ..	389 8	389 2	381 5	387 4	382 2	386 4	387 2
Communication ..	434 0	430 11	429 0	429 0	429 7	427 4	431 6
Wholesale and Retail Trade ..	396 0	392 1	374 11	382 4	381 8	399 0	380 6
Public Authority (n.e.l.) and Community ..	396 3	378 6	367 0	370 8	362 8	403 3	381 0
and Business Services ..	380 8	355 4	355 2	365 9	364 9	374 9	367 8
Amusement, Hotels, Personal Service, etc. ..	399 5	388 6	374 4	384 2	380 8	393 10	390 1
All Industry Groups(d) ..							

HOURLY RATES OF WAGE (PENCE).

Mining and Quarrying(b)	150.30	117.40	137.40	114.15	126.41	118.03	139.62
Manufacturing—							
Engineering, Metals, Vehicles, etc. ..	116.55	115.35	113.03	115.75	114.32	119.98	115.80
Textiles, Clothing and Footwear ..	114.68	112.65	111.28	110.08	112.55	111.43	113.12
Food, Drink and Tobacco ..	116.15	118.00	110.38	112.35	114.77	115.63	115.46
Sawmilling, Furniture, etc. ..	117.75	112.20	105.92	114.25	110.15	114.38	112.93
Paper, Printing, etc. ..	125.33	126.06	123.65	124.43	133.89	119.23	125.53
Other Manufacturing ..	117.05	113.96	107.05	114.28	110.45	115.41	114.61
All Manufacturing Groups ..	117.05	115.70	111.02	115.18	113.68	117.23	115.65
Building and Construction ..	120.88	122.08	106.97	116.55	113.23	119.38	117.70
Railway Services ..	118.45	109.41	112.82	112.33	109.03	116.30	113.53
Road and Air Transport ..	120.98	114.58	104.48	112.22	113.80	115.00	115.60
Communication ..	130.20	129.28	128.70	130.03	128.87	129.53	129.61
Wholesale and Retail Trade ..	118.80	117.62	112.48	114.70	114.50	119.70	116.85
Public Authority (n.e.l.) and Community ..	121.21	116.67	111.44	113.38	109.95	122.85	116.48
and Business Services ..	114.20	106.60	106.55	109.73	109.43	112.73	110.30
Amusement, Hotels, Personal Service, etc. ..	120.02	116.64	112.31	115.34	114.49	118.36	117.17
All Industry Groups(e) ..							

WEEKLY HOURS OF WORK.

Mining and Quarrying(b)	39.42	40.00	40.00	40.00	38.78	40.00	39.52
Manufacturing—							
Engineering, Metals, Vehicles, etc. ..	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
Textiles, Clothing and Footwear ..	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
Food, Drink and Tobacco ..	39.94	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	39.98
Sawmilling, Furniture, etc. ..	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
Paper, Printing, etc. ..	40.00	39.94	40.00	40.00	39.21	40.00	39.95
Other Manufacturing ..	40.00	39.96	40.00	39.91	40.09	39.97	39.98
All Manufacturing Groups ..	39.99	39.99	40.00	39.98	39.98	40.00	39.99
Building and Construction ..	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
Railway Services ..	40.00	39.96	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	39.99
Road and Air Transport ..	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
Communication ..	40.00	40.00	40.00	39.59	40.00	39.59	39.95
Wholesale and Retail Trade ..	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
Public Authority (n.e.l.) and Community ..	39.23	38.93	39.52	39.23	39.58	39.39	39.25
and Business Services ..	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	39.89	40.00
Amusement, Hotels, Personal Service, etc. ..	39.95	39.97	39.98	39.96	39.89	39.97	39.96
All Industry Groups(e) ..							

(a) The amounts shown should not be regarded as actual current averages, but as indexes expressed in money and hour terms, indicative of trends. (b) For mining, the average rates of wage and hours are those prevailing at the principal mining centres in each State. (c) Average rates of wage are for occupations other than masters, officers and engineers in the Merchant Marine Service, and include value of keep, where supplied. (d) Excludes Rural. (e) Excludes Rural, and Shipping and Stevedoring. The former is not included in the Minimum Wage Rate Index and for the latter definite particulars for the computation of average hours of work and hourly rates of wage are not available.

**WEEKLY AND HOURLY RATES OF WAGE AND WEEKLY HOURS OF WORK:
ADULT FEMALES, INDUSTRY GROUPS, 30th JUNE, 1964.(a)**

Indexes of Weighted Average Minimum Weekly Rates payable for a Full Week's Work (excluding overtime), and Weekly Hours of Work, as prescribed in Awards, Determinations and Agreements, and Indexes of Hourly Rates.

Industry Group.	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.
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WEEKLY RATES OF WAGE.

	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Manufacturing—	288 10	268 5	258 11	265 9	265 4	268 4	277 6
Engineering, Metals, Vehicles, etc. ..	270 6	264 11	265 2	269 0	270 4	260 4	267 4
Textiles, Clothing and Footwear ..	288 5	265 3	256 10	264 10	252 6	260 10	271 11
Food, Drink and Tobacco ..	284 0	266 1	263 8	266 2	263 9	263 5	274 5
Other Manufacturing ..	279 8	265 8	262 5	266 7	264 3	261 8	271 3
All Manufacturing Groups ..	300 10	287 10	285 4	288 5	287 8	289 9	292 8
Transport and Communication ..	309 3	285 0	268 10	277 9	273 3	272 1	290 8
Wholesale and Retail Trade ..	303 9	286 1	269 2	279 6	266 3	300 5	289 3
Public Authority (n.e.i.) and Community ..	278 0	257 8	256 3	256 9	281 8	263 3	268 9
and Business Services ..	290 5	272 1	266 6	271 9	272 1	269 4	279 1
Amusement, Hotels, Personal Service, etc. ..							
All Industry Groups ..							

HOURLY RATES OF WAGE (PENCE).

	86.71	80.79	77.68	79.73	79.60	80.50	83.38
Manufacturing—	81.25	79.48	79.55	80.70	81.10	78.10	80.24
Engineering, Metals, Vehicles, etc. ..	86.53	79.58	77.05	79.45	75.75	78.25	81.58
Textiles, Clothing and Footwear ..	85.65	79.94	79.10	80.13	79.13	79.03	82.59
Food, Drink and Tobacco ..	84.07	79.76	78.73	80.03	79.28	78.50	81.48
Other Manufacturing ..	94.90	91.04	90.56	91.47	91.13	95.79	92.64
All Manufacturing Groups ..	93.83	85.50	80.65	83.33	81.98	81.62	87.60
Transport and Communication ..							
Wholesale and Retail Trade ..	94.70	87.46	82.31	85.58	81.01	95.62	89.16
Public Authority (n.e.i.) and Community ..	84.67	77.42	77.05	77.31	84.67	80.10	81.32
and Business Services ..	88.16	82.01	80.55	82.00	82.08	81.70	84.42
Amusement, Hotels, Personal Service, etc. ..							
All Industry Groups ..							

WEEKLY HOURS OF WORK.

	39.97	39.87	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	39.94
Manufacturing—	39.95	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	39.93
Engineering, Metals, Vehicles, etc. ..	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
Textiles, Clothing and Footwear ..	39.79	39.94	40.00	39.86	40.00	40.00	39.87
Food, Drink and Tobacco ..	39.92	39.97	40.00	39.97	40.00	40.00	39.95
Other Manufacturing ..	38.04	37.94	37.81	37.84	37.88	36.80	37.91
All Manufacturing Groups ..	39.55	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	39.82
Transport and Communication ..							
Wholesale and Retail Trade ..	38.49	39.25	39.24	39.19	39.44	37.70	38.93
Public Authority (n.e.i.) and Community ..	39.40	39.94	39.91	39.85	39.92	39.44	39.66
and Business Services ..	39.53	39.81	39.70	39.77	39.78	39.56	39.67
Amusement, Hotels, Personal Service, etc. ..							
All Industry Groups ..							

(a) See note (a) on previous page.

BASIC WAGE—WEEKLY RATES FOR ADULT MALES UNDER AWARDS OF COMMONWEALTH CONCILIATION AND ARBITRATION COMMISSION.(a)

Date Operative.(b)	Sydney.	Melbourne.	Brisbane.	Adelaide.	Perth.	Hobart.	Six Capitals.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
November, 1948	122 0	120 0	115 0	116 0	116 0	118 0	119 0
" 1949	132 0	130 0	125 0	126 0	129 0	128 0	129 0
" 1950	146 0	143 0	135 0	137 0	139 0	139 0	142 0
December, 1950	165 0	162 0	154 0	158 0	160 0	160 0	162 0
November, 1951	207 0	199 0	185 0	195 0	197 0	199 0	200 0
May, 1952	223 0	212 0	207 0	211 0	214 0	214 0	216 0
August, 1952	235 0	224 0	213 0	224 0	222 0	222 0	227 0
November, 1952	237 0	228 0	216 0	229 0	228 0	230 0	231 0
February, 1953	238 0	229 0	215 0	225 0	229 0	232 0	231 0
May, 1953	241 0	232 0	217 0	228 0	231 0	239 0	234 0
August, 1953(c)	243 0	235 0	218 0	231 0	236 0	242 0	236 0
June, 1956	253 0	245 0	228 0	241 0	246 0	252 0	246 0
May 15th, 1957	263 0	255 0	238 0	251 0	256 0	262 0	256 0
May 21st, 1958	268 0	260 0	243 0	256 0	261 0	267 0	261 0
June 11th, 1959	283 0	275 0	258 0	271 0	276 0	282 0	276 0
July 7th, 1961	295 0	287 0	270 0	283 0	288 0	294 0	288 0
June 19th, 1964	315 0	307 0	290 0	303 0	308 0	314 0	308 0

(a) Commonwealth Court of Conciliation and Arbitration prior to 30th June, 1956. (b) Rates operative from beginning of first pay-period commencing in month shown or commencing on or after the date shown. (c) Automatic adjustment of basic wages in accordance with variations in retail price index numbers discontinued.

NOTE.—Since December, 1950, the female basic wage has been 75 per cent. of the corresponding male rate; previously it had ranged between 54 per cent. and 75 per cent.

STATE BASIC WAGES

In New South Wales automatic quarterly adjustments to the basic wage were discontinued following legislation passed in October, 1964, and Commonwealth basic wage rates were adopted, retrospective to 19th June, 1964. State basic wages are not declared in Victoria and Tasmania, but Wages Boards, which determine minimum rates to be paid in various industry groups or callings, now generally adopt Commonwealth rates. In Queensland, the industrial authority may declare a basic wage only after a full inquiry. In South Australia the rates have been the same as Commonwealth rates since 1950. The industrial authority in Western Australia determines the basic wage each quarter after considering retail price index numbers. In all States, since May, 1961, the basic wage for adult females has been 75 per cent. of the adult male rate.

STATE BASIC WAGES: WEEKLY RATES.

State and Locality.	Date Operative.	Males.	Females.
		s. d.	s. d.
New South Wales	19.6.64	315 0	236 0
Victoria	June-July, 1964	307 0	230 0
Queensland—			
Southern Division—			
Eastern District, including			
Brisbane	13.7.64	300 0	225 0
Western District	13.7.64	310 6	233 0
Mackay Division	13.7.64	309 0	231 9
Northern Division—			
Eastern District	13.7.64	310 6	233 0
Western District	13.7.64	332 6	249 6
South Australia	22.6.64	303 0	227 0
Western Australia—			
Metropolitan Area(a)	26.10.64	311 2	233 5
S.W. Land Division(a)			
Goldfields and other areas(a)			
Tasmania	19.6.64	314 0	235 6

(a) Differential rates abolished as from 22nd September, 1964.

SECTION XI.—PRICES.

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS.

A full description of the Consumer Price Index is combined in Labour Report, No. 49, 1961, supplemented by additional information in Statistical Bulletin S.B. 426 of 21st April, 1964.

(Base: 1952-53 = 100.0)

Period.	State Capital Cities—Separately and Combined.							Canberra.
	Weighted Average of Six State Capital Cities.	Sydney.	Mel- bourne.	Brisbane.	Adelaide.	Perth.	Hobart.	
ALL GROUPS.								
Year ended June—								
1955	102.6	102.3	102.0	102.9	103.5	105.2	104.9	104.2
1956	106.9	105.7	108.1	106.3	106.9	107.9	110.2	107.8
1957	113.1	112.9	114.0	112.0	111.1	112.9	116.9	113.3
1958	114.2	114.5	114.4	114.4	111.9	113.6	117.0	114.0
1959	116.0	115.3	116.6	118.2	114.5	114.7	118.7	115.4
1960	118.9	117.8	120.0	121.2	118.0	116.9	120.8	117.8
1961	123.8	122.1	125.9	125.4	122.9	121.2	127.5	121.4
1962	124.3	122.6	126.3	127.3	122.5	121.6	128.1	123.1
1963	124.5	123.2	126.2	127.7	122.1	122.2	128.0	123.4
1964	125.7	124.5	127.1	129.0	123.5	123.8	129.4	124.3
Quarter—								
1961-62—June ..	124.0	122.3	125.9	127.3	121.9	121.8	127.5	123.1
1962-63—September ..	124.3	122.7	126.2	127.5	121.9	122.1	127.6	123.4
December ..	124.4	123.2	126.2	127.6	121.9	121.7	128.2	123.7
March ..	124.5	123.3	126.0	127.8	121.9	122.3	128.0	123.2
June ..	124.9	123.7	126.4	127.9	122.5	122.8	128.2	123.4
1963-64—September ..	125.1	123.7	126.7	128.4	122.8	122.7	128.8	124.1
December ..	125.0	123.9	126.4	128.2	122.7	123.1	129.0	123.8
March ..	125.8	124.6	127.1	129.2	123.5	124.2	129.8	124.2
June ..	127.0	125.8	128.3	130.2	125.1	125.3	130.1	125.1
1964-65—September ..	128.5	127.3	129.6	131.9	126.9	126.6	131.7	126.6
FOOD GROUP.								
Year ended June—								
1955	104.3	103.2	103.9	104.1	106.1	109.3	107.1	105.6
1956	110.2	108.7	112.2	107.7	110.9	111.1	113.7	111.8
1957	115.3	114.2	117.8	111.5	114.7	116.0	118.6	118.2
1958	113.3	112.8	114.3	113.0	111.8	114.4	115.1	115.6
1959	115.4	113.4	116.1	119.8	117.5	115.2	116.8	117.8
1960	119.8	117.5	120.8	124.2	123.1	118.4	118.5	121.6
1961	127.7	124.4	130.2	130.4	132.2	124.4	132.1	128.5
1962	125.5	121.9	127.8	130.8	127.6	123.5	129.0	124.6
1963	124.3	121.1	126.0	129.8	126.0	123.9	127.2	122.3
1964	126.0	122.6	127.2	133.1	129.1	125.4	128.8	123.2
Quarter—								
1961-62—June ..	123.7	120.0	125.6	129.4	125.7	124.2	126.5	122.0
1962-63—September ..	124.2	120.7	126.5	129.3	125.6	124.7	126.6	122.6
December ..	124.3	121.4	126.1	129.5	125.7	122.8	128.0	123.1
March ..	124.1	121.1	125.5	130.3	125.7	123.7	127.2	121.6
June ..	124.5	121.3	125.8	130.2	126.8	124.4	127.0	121.7
1963-64—September ..	125.0	121.2	126.7	131.5	128.0	124.6	128.7	122.6
December ..	124.5	121.4	125.7	131.0	127.0	123.7	127.9	122.1
March ..	126.0	122.7	127.0	133.6	129.1	125.0	129.1	123.2
June ..	128.5	125.0	129.5	136.1	132.4	128.3	129.5	124.8
1964-65—September ..	130.7	127.5	131.6	138.0	133.6	130.3	131.6	127.2

NOTE.—The indexes shown above measure price movements in each State capital city and Canberra individually and for the weighted average of the six State capital cities. They do not compare price levels as between cities.

Consumer Price Index—continued.

(Base: 1952-53 = 100.0)

Period.	State Capital Cities—Separately and Combined.							Canberra.
	Weighted Average of Six State Capital Cities.	Sydney.	Melbourne.	Brisbane.	Adelaide.	Perth.	Hobart.	

CLOTHING AND DRAPERY GROUP.

Year ended June—								
1955	101.0	100.9	101.2	101.3	101.7	100.1	102.0	101.1
1956	102.0	101.4	102.8	102.2	101.6	101.4	103.3	101.3
1957	103.9	103.5	104.9	104.7	101.7	103.1	106.1	103.2
1958	107.0	106.4	108.4	107.8	104.4	105.7	108.7	105.8
1959	108.2	107.5	109.6	109.4	105.4	107.2	109.8	106.9
1960	109.4	108.5	110.7	111.9	106.8	108.3	110.7	107.6
1961	111.6	110.3	112.8	115.1	109.5	110.8	112.4	109.4
1962	112.8	111.4	114.0	116.7	111.2	111.7	114.0	110.5
1963	113.2	111.8	114.4	117.0	111.7	112.0	114.5	111.0
1964	114.0	112.5	115.2	117.8	112.8	112.8	115.1	111.5
Quarter—								
1961-62—June ..	112.9	111.5	114.2	116.8	111.5	111.5	114.2	110.7
1962-63—September ..	113.0	111.6	114.3	116.9	111.5	111.7	114.4	110.8
December ..	113.2	111.8	114.4	117.0	111.5	111.8	114.4	111.0
March ..	113.2	111.8	114.4	117.0	111.6	112.0	114.4	111.0
June ..	113.4	112.0	114.6	117.0	112.1	112.4	114.8	111.1
1963-64—September ..	113.7	112.3	114.9	117.4	112.4	112.6	115.0	111.3
December ..	113.7	112.3	114.9	117.6	112.5	112.6	114.9	111.3
March ..	113.8	112.4	115.0	117.7	112.6	112.8	114.9	111.4
June ..	114.6	113.1	115.8	118.4	113.6	113.2	115.7	112.1
1964-65—September ..	115.0	113.6	116.3	118.8	113.8	113.6	116.1	112.5

HOUSING GROUP.

Year ended June—								
1955	108.4	108.8	105.4	104.7	113.0	119.2	110.7	109.8
1956	115.1	114.2	113.8	110.5	120.8	123.8	121.9	114.6
1957	122.1	120.0	122.8	118.4	129.2	123.6	133.3	118.4
1958	127.3	126.3	127.3	123.9	133.9	126.0	137.3	120.9
1959	130.6	130.2	129.4	128.4	137.1	130.3	141.3	123.7
1960	135.2	133.8	135.8	132.6	140.0	133.5	148.5	125.7
1961	144.8	140.7	151.2	137.6	148.7	141.7	156.6	127.6
1962	150.7	147.5	157.5	140.5	153.5	146.4	163.8	153.7
1963	155.0	153.4	161.1	144.0	154.9	150.9	168.7	162.2
1964	159.6	160.1	164.5	145.2	158.5	155.9	174.0	162.6
Quarter—								
1961-62—June ..	152.6	150.2	159.2	141.9	153.9	147.8	166.1	162.2
1962-63—September ..	153.3	151.1	159.5	143.2	154.3	148.8	166.3	162.1
December ..	154.7	152.8	160.8	144.1	154.7	150.9	168.7	162.3
March ..	155.3	153.8	161.3	144.2	154.7	151.2	169.4	162.1
June ..	156.8	155.9	162.7	144.5	156.0	152.6	170.3	162.2
1963-64—September ..	157.9	157.4	163.7	145.1	156.5	153.3	170.7	162.2
December ..	159.0	159.3	163.8	145.0	158.2	155.7	173.6	162.4
March ..	159.9	160.4	164.6	145.2	158.9	156.8	175.7	162.7
June ..	161.7	163.3	166.0	145.4	160.3	157.8	175.9	162.9
1964-65—September ..	163.0	165.0	166.9	147.2	161.9	158.1	176.4	163.3

NOTE.—The indexes shown above measure price movements in each State capital city and Canberra individually and for the weighted average of the six State capital cities. They do not compare price levels as between cities.

Consumer Price Index—continued.

(Base: 1952-53 = 100.0)

Period.	State Capital Cities—Separately and Combined.							Canberra.
	Weighted Average of Six State Capital Cities.	Sydney.	Melbourne.	Brisbane.	Adelaide.	Perth.	Hobart.	

HOUSEHOLD SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT GROUP.

Year ended June—								
1955	101.4	101.8	100.6	102.5	100.4	102.0	103.7	107.4
1956	101.6	101.3	101.6	102.6	100.1	102.0	108.6	108.1
1957	105.8	106.5	105.2	106.5	103.2	104.5	115.2	111.0
1958	107.5	109.3	106.2	108.3	104.0	105.7	116.0	112.6
1959	108.7	109.1	109.2	109.0	105.0	105.9	116.8	113.0
1960	109.8	109.6	110.9	110.6	106.0	107.1	118.5	115.4
1961	111.2	111.5	112.5	111.3	106.1	107.3	121.1	116.6
1962	112.7	113.2	114.1	113.0	106.7	107.3	124.3	114.0
1963	112.4	112.8	114.0	112.8	106.2	107.0	123.8	113.2
1964	111.0	111.3	112.6	111.7	104.4	105.2	123.8	112.8
Quarter—								
1961-62—June ..	112.8	113.3	114.4	113.0	106.7	107.2	124.2	113.3
1962-63—September ..	112.8	113.3	114.2	113.1	106.8	107.2	124.2	113.4
December ..	112.4	112.6	114.1	112.8	106.0	106.9	123.7	112.9
March ..	112.1	112.4	113.8	112.5	105.9	106.9	123.6	112.9
June ..	112.4	112.7	114.0	112.9	106.0	107.0	123.8	113.6
1963-64—September ..	110.6	111.0	112.1	111.2	104.0	105.0	123.4	113.1
December ..	110.8	111.2	112.4	111.5	104.3	104.9	123.7	112.7
March ..	111.1	111.6	112.7	111.7	104.5	105.2	123.8	112.3
June ..	111.4	111.5	113.2	112.3	104.8	105.7	124.1	113.1
1964-65—September ..	110.7	110.3	112.6	112.3	104.7	105.8	124.4	113.0

MISCELLANEOUS GROUP.

Year ended June—								
1955	99.9	99.7	99.7	102.0	99.1	99.5	102.0	100.1
1956	105.9	104.0	108.3	108.0	104.1	105.5	106.8	103.8
1957	118.0	119.7	117.8	118.9	111.6	117.0	118.5	113.9
1958	119.7	121.8	118.8	120.5	114.2	118.3	119.5	116.2
1959	121.2	121.9	122.2	123.6	114.6	118.7	121.2	116.4
1960	123.9	124.0	125.5	125.6	118.8	120.9	123.3	118.6
1961	127.3	127.1	129.2	129.5	121.4	125.2	126.2	121.0
1962	128.1	127.9	129.3	133.3	121.9	125.3	127.0	121.6
1963	128.8	129.3	129.7	134.4	121.6	125.5	127.0	121.7
1964	129.9	130.0	130.8	135.2	122.3	128.5	128.2	124.1
Quarter—								
1961-62—June ..	128.2	128.0	129.5	134.3	121.6	124.9	126.9	121.0
1962-63—September ..	128.4	128.4	129.5	134.3	121.5	124.8	126.9	121.1
December ..	128.7	129.1	129.5	134.4	121.5	124.9	126.9	121.7
March ..	129.0	129.8	129.6	134.3	121.6	126.0	127.1	122.0
June ..	129.2	129.8	130.1	134.4	121.7	126.1	127.2	122.0
1963-64—September ..	129.7	130.0	130.7	135.2	122.2	126.2	127.3	124.4
December ..	129.5	129.6	130.3	135.0	121.8	128.2	127.9	123.7
March ..	130.1	130.1	131.0	135.4	122.4	130.3	128.7	124.0
June ..	130.3	130.4	131.2	135.3	122.9	129.3	128.8	124.1
1964-65—September ..	133.1	133.1	133.5	138.6	128.0	131.5	131.8	126.8

NOTE.—The indexes shown above measure price movements in each State capital city and Canberra individually and for the weighted average of the six State capital cities. They do not compare price levels as between cities.

AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES.

Average retail prices of food and groceries as previously published for capital cities and principal towns are now collected monthly in the capital cities only. These prices are available on request from the Commonwealth Statistician.

WHOLESALE PRICE (BASIC MATERIALS AND FOODSTUFFS) INDEX.

Commodities in this index are priced in their primary or basic form wherever possible. The prices used have, in the main, been obtained directly from manufacturers and merchants and, with a few important exceptions, from Melbourne sources. Apart from locally produced building materials and one or two minor commodities, however, the price movements may be taken as representative of variations in wholesale prices of basic materials in most Australian markets. The weighting system adopted is based on estimates of the average annual consumption of the commodities in Australia during the years 1928-29 to 1934-35 inclusive.

(Base of each Index : Average of 3 years ended June, 1939 = 100.)

Period.	Basic Materials.							Food-stuffs and Tobacco. (a)	Basic Materials and Foodstuffs.		
	Metals and Coal.	Oils, Fats and Waxes.	Textiles.	Chemicals.	Rubber and Hides.	Building Materials.	Total.		Goods principally Imported. (b)	Goods principally Home Produced. (a)	Total All Groups. (a)
1954-55 ..	391	214	510	314	246	372	330	315	277	340	322
1955-56 ..	404	220	456	317	328	415	345	325	292	352	334
1956-57 ..	409	241	520	344	302	463	367	324	311	357	344
1957-58 ..	398	238	437	349	280	453	355	325	301	355	339
1958-59 ..	392	231	362	327	293	423	340	332	283	358	336
1959-60 ..	395	225	403	331	379	431	347	348	281	375	348
1960-61 ..	399	222	387	331	341	439	346	372	278	394	360
1961-62 ..	392	212	400	333	302	439	340	332	270	363	336
1962-63 ..	388	209	432	317	262	439	336	342	272	368	340
1963-64 ..	383	207	484	286	221	473	339	352	275	376	346
1963-64—											
July ..	385	209	468	316	227	449	338	359	271	382	349
August ..	383	209	458	283	223	462	336	359	274	380	348
September ..	383	207	461	283	213	462	335	359	274	379	348
October ..	385	207	476	283	210	468	338	351	276	374	345
November ..	384	207	506	283	216	468	339	345	276	370	342
December ..	383	207	501	283	219	469	339	339	276	366	339
January ..	381	208	506	283	220	470	339	341	275	368	340
February ..	381	208	511	284	220	484	342	343	277	370	343
March ..	382	208	512	284	220	486	343	350	277	376	347
April ..	385	207	488	284	223	486	342	355	276	380	349
May ..	384	207	458	284	229	486	340	362	276	384	352
June ..	382	205	463	284	230	486	340	365	275	386	353
1964-65—											
July ..	386	205	463	285	233	496	343	367	279	389	356
August ..	389	206	464	285	236	498	345	367	278	390	357
September ..	r385	206	455	285	237	498	r343	366	276	r389	356

(a) Reconstructed to exclude potatoes and onions as from base period. (b) Represents only such imported commodities as are included in the Wholesale Price Index and does not measure changes in prices of all imports.

FARM PRODUCTION PRICE INDEXES.

The annual indexes shown in the following table relate to average "prices" of farm products realized in the principal markets of Australia. The "price" data used are average unit values for the total quantities of the relevant commodities produced or marketed in each year and the indexes therefore measure both the effects of changes in prices (as such) and of variations in the quality, type, usage, etc., of products marketed. The indexes for any year relate to the average values of farm products produced or marketed in that year, irrespective of the periods in which payment is received by producers.

The indexes shown below are the Revised Series (December, 1952) in which average quantities of each product marketed in the period 1946-47 to 1950-51 have been used as fixed weights.

The preliminary indexes for 1963-64 are based mainly on the recorded or estimated movement in average values for the major farm products. They will be reviewed from time to time as further "price" data become available.

(Base : Average of 3 years ended June, 1939=100.)

Year.	Agri-culture.	Pastoral.	Farmyard and Dairying.	All Farming.	Wool (Shorn and Dead).	Products other than Wool.
1954-55 ..	316	489	371	401	540	355
1955-56 ..	330	451	392	397	468	373
1956-57 ..	336	536	386	432	607	374
1957-58 ..	336	435	382	388	473	359
1958-59 ..	322	396	386	369	370	369
1959-60 ..	329	464	402	403	440	391
1960-61 ..	349	443	402	401	397	403
1961-62 ..	348	421	373	385	412	376
1962-63 ..	334	450	388	396	449	378
1963-64 p ..	345	493	400	420	531	384

EXPORT PRICE INDEX.

The table below sets out Export Price Index numbers on the reference base : Year 1950-60 = 100. A full description of the current index and its relationship with the previous index is given in Commonwealth Year Book No. 49, 1963.

(Base of each Index : Year 1959-60 = 100.)

Period.	Wool.	Meats.	Dairy Pro- duce.	Cereals.	Dried and Canned Fruits.	Sugar.	Hides and Tallow.	Metals and Coal.	Gold.	All Groups.
1959-60 ..	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1960-61 ..	92	104	82	99	99	101	92	97	100	95
1961-62 ..	97	100	81	106	95	91	84	91	100	96
1962-63 ..	104	101	88	107	90	107	72	89	100	101
1963-64 ..	120	p105	93	107	p98	p175	73	101	100	p114
1961-62—										
October ..	94	103	77	102	96	90	86	90	100	94
November ..	92	100	79	102	95	87	83	91	100	93
December ..	92	99	84	105	96	89	83	91	100	94
January ..	92	101	83	107	95	87	83	90	100	94
February ..	98	101	83	108	93	82	82	91	100	97
March ..	99	97	83	107	93	84	81	91	100	97
April ..	99	97	82	111	93	90	81	90	100	98
May ..	99	97	82	112	93	85	79	90	100	98
June ..	99	97	86	112	92	87	78	90	100	98
1962-63—										
July ..	98	99	85	112	90	86	76	89	100	97
August ..	92	101	85	112	91	88	75	86	100	94
September ..	92	102	85	111	91	86	74	87	100	94
October ..	96	102	85	109	91	92	74	86	100	96
November ..	98	102	88	110	91	91	74	88	100	97
December ..	101	101	88	105	91	94	74	88	100	98
January ..	112	101	88	105	91	93	73	88	100	104
February ..	110	101	88	104	91	109	70	91	100	104
March ..	112	99	90	104	89	128	69	91	100	105
April ..	112	98	90	104	88	121	69	91	100	105
May ..	112	100	90	104	88	128	68	90	100	105
June ..	115	102	93	103	89	165	68	95	100	109
1963-64—										
July ..	114	103	94	103	92	164	67	94	100	109
August ..	110	103	94	102	94	165	66	96	100	107
September ..	112	105	94	102	97	159	64	94	100	108
October ..	117	105	94	107	98	163	68	96	100	111
November ..	128	103	94	107	99	198	74	96	100	118
December ..	126	p100	94	109	100	187	74	101	100	p117
January ..	128	p 99	92	111	100	p205	73	104	100	p119
February ..	130	p101	91	111	100	p191	73	104	100	p120
March ..	130	p106	91	109	98	p192	74	103	100	p120
April ..	121	p111	92	109	99	p165	78	106	100	p115
May ..	110	p113	92	108	p 99	p166	79	111	100	p110
June ..	112	p110	92	108	p101	p146	81	111	100	p110
1964-65—										
July ..	112	p108	92	109	p101	p139	81	114	100	p110
August ..	112	p108	92	110	p100	p122	83	117	100	p110
September ..	110	p107	92	111	p100	p113	85	p119	101	p109

SECTION XII—STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY—AUSTRALIA, 1901-02 to 1963-64.

NOTE.—(1) In most cases where figures are available back to 1861, these were shown in the September, 1953 issue of the *Quarterly Summary of Australian Statistics*, pages 112 and 113.

(2) The statistics in this summary relate in general to the periods shown in the table headings; where the statistics relate to other periods, this is indicated in footnotes.

Item.	Year ended 30th June—							
	1902.	1912.	1922.	1932.	1942.	1952.	1962.	1964.
DEMOGRAPHY(a)—								
Population(b) { '000 Males ..	2,005	2,382	2,799	3,333	3,599	4,311	5,355	5,557
{ '000 Females ..	1,820	2,192	2,712	3,220	3,545	4,217	5,249	5,466.
{ '000 Persons ..	3,825	4,574	5,511	6,553	7,144	8,528	10,604	11,023
Natural Increase .. '000	56.6	74.3	82.1	61.9	63.3	111.5	151.0	140.8
Net Oversea Migration '000	3.0	74.4	17.5	-10.1	5.2	111.4	61.5	71.6.
Marriages .. '000	28	39	47	39	75	77	77	81
Divorces(d) and Judicial Separations .. '000	7.3	8.8	8.6	6.0	10.6	9.2	7.3	7.4
Births .. '000	398	509	1,490	1,969	3,351	7,330	6,711	7,446.
Deaths .. '000	103	122	136	119	135	193	240	236.
Infant Deaths .. '000	27.2	27.2	25.0	18.2	18.9	23.0	22.9	21.6
Rate(c) .. '000	46	48	54	57	71	82	89	95
Rate(c) .. '000	12.2	10.7	9.9	8.7	10.0	9.7	8.5	8.7
Rate(c) .. '000	10.7	8.4	9.0	5.0	5.3	4.9	4.7	4.6.
Rate(e) .. '000	103.6	68.5	65.7	42.1	39.7	25.2	19.5	19.6.
WAGES (ADULT MALES)(b)—								
Minimum Weekly Wage Rate								
Index Numbers(f) ..	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	38.5	85.8	129.5	132.9.
PRIMARY AND SECONDARY INDUSTRIES—								
Agricultural(g)								
Wheat .. Area mill. acs.	5.1	7.4	9.7	14.7	12.0	10.4	14.7	16.5
Yield mill. bus.	39	72	129	191	167	160	247	328.
Av. Yield bus.	7.5	9.6	13.3	12.9	13.9	15.4	16.8	19.9.
Oats .. Area '000 acs.	461	617	733	1,085	1,460	2,365	3,097	3,392
Yield mill. bus.	9.8	9.6	12.1	15.2	22.3	34.5	55.1	68.2
Av. Yield bus.	21.2	15.5	16.6	14.0	15.3	14.6	17.8	20.1
Barley .. Area '000 acs.	75	116	299	342	784	1,118	2,383	2,013
Yield mill. bus.	1.5	2.1	6.1	6.3	18.0	21.9	41.5	43.4
Av. Yield bus.	20.4	17.7	20.4	18.4	23.0	19.6	17.4	21.6.
Maize .. Area '000 acs.	295	340	305	269	301	170	211	215
Yield mill. bus.	7.0	8.9	7.8	7.1	7.4	4.0	7.3	
Av. Yield bus.	23.9	26.3	25.7	26.2	24.7	23.7	34.7	
Hay .. Area '000 acs.	1,688	2,518	2,995	2,635	2,758	1,549	2,274	2,602.
Yield '000 tons	2,025	2,868	3,902	3,167	3,575	2,345	3,693	4,369.
Av. Yield tons	1.20	1.14	1.30	1.20	1.30	1.51	1.62	1.68.
Potatoes .. Area '000 acs.	110	130	149	145	99	118	94	103
Yield '000 tons	323	301	388	397	333	509	526	
Av. Yield tons	2.94	2.31	2.60	2.74	3.35	4.31	5.57	
Sugar-cane(h) .. Area '000 acs.	87	101	128	242	255	282	387	418.
Yield '000 tons	1,368	1,682	2,437	4,213	5,154	5,327	9,577	12,118.
Av. Yield tons	15.7	16.7	19.0	17.4	20.3	18.9	24.8	29.0.
Vineyards .. Area '000 acs.	64	61	92	115	130	136	133	
Wine mill. gals.	5.3	5.0	8.5	14.2	15.6	35.3	41.7	
Total Area of Crops mill. acs.	8.4	12.1	15.4	21.2	20.5	19.7	29.6	32.0.
Pastoral, Dairying, etc.—								
Livestock (i) { Horses mill.	1.6	2.3	2.4	1.8	1.6	0.9	0.6	(m)0.5
{ Cattle ..	8.5	11.8	14.4	12.3	13.6	14.9	18.0	19.0.
{ Sheep ..	72	97	86	111	125	118	158	165
{ Pigs ..	0.9	1.1	1.0	1.2	1.4	1.0	1.7	1.5.
Wool(j) .. '000 tons	(a) 539	(a) 798	723	1,007	1,167	1,080	1,699	1,782
Butter .. '000 tons	(a) 46	(a) 95	(a) 119	175	168	135	199	204
Cheese .. '000 tons	(a) 5.3	(a) 7.1	(a) 14.6	14.0	30.1	40.6	55.3	57.8
Meat(k)—								
Beef and Veal ..			339	350	534	582	791	970.
Mutton and Lamb ..			218	307	372	282	587	583
Pigmeat ..			51	70	121	85	120	111
Total Meat ..			608	727	1,027	949	1,498	1,664

(a) Year ended previous December. (b) At 31st December of previous year. (c) Number per 1,000 of mean population. (d) Decreases made absolute, including decrees for nullity of marriage. (e) Number per 1,000 live births. (f) New Series. Base: 1954=100. Excludes Rural Industry. (g) Season ending in year shown. (h) Cane cut for crushing. (i) At 31st December of previous year for years to 1942, at 31st March thereafter. (j) In terms of greasy. (k) Carcass weight in terms of fresh meat. (l) Except for wheat, crop figures shown are for 1963 season. (m) Excludes South Australia.

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NOTE.—See headnotes on page 116.

Item.	Year ended 30th June—							
	1902.	1912.	1922.	1932.	1942.	1952.	1962.	1964.
PRIMARY AND SECONDARY INDUSTRIES—continued.								
Mineral(a)(b)—								
Copper(c) .. '000 tons	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	13.5	20.9	18.1	95.6	112.7
Gold(c) .. '000 fine oz.	3,300	2,484	758	595	1,497	896	1,076	1,023
Lead(c) .. '000 tons	n.a.	222.0	57.7	162.6	275.5	212.0	269.7	409.8
Zinc(c) .. " " "	(d)	190.3	20.7	97.5	170.0	189.2	311.2	351.4
Black Coal .. mill. tons.	6.9	10.5	12.8	8.4	14.2	17.6	24.0	24.9
Brown Coal .. " " "	..	(d)	0.1	2.2	4.6	7.8	16.3	18.5
Forestry—								
Sawn output of Aust. grown timber .. mill. sup. ft.	(a) 452	(a) 605	590	237	914	1,393	1,317	1,463
Factories—								
Number of factories '000	(e)	{ 14.5	18.0	21.7	27.0	45.8	58.5	59.1
Persons employed ..		{ 312	379	337	725	978	1,121	1,167
Salaries and wages paid £m.		{ 28	68	56	180	612	1,143	1,222
Net value of production—								
Chemicals, etc. .. £m.	{ n.a.	{ 1.1	3.2	7.9	24.8	63.7	182.2	205.7
Industrial metals, etc. ..		{ 12.0	23.6	22.8	119.9	413.1	884.7	978.9
Textiles, etc. ..		{ 7.5	19.2	{ 6.9	21.0	56.6	105.6	116.9
Clothing ..		{ 11.1	23.6	{ 81.1	126.2	133.2	133.2	133.2
Food, etc. ..		{ 11.8	27.2	{ 28.7	53.2	141.1	297.7	318.5
Paper, etc. ..	29.1	{ 4.2	9.0	9.6	17.1	68.2	163.5	175.5
All groups ..		{ 47.5	112.5	111.0	316.5	1,024.9	2,194.9	2,396.0
Value of plant & machinery ..		{ 31.4	78.1	121.5	169.2	412.5	1,524.8	1,642.2
Value of land and buildings ..	{ n.a.	{ 32.5	67.3	106.6	156.3	360.2	1,403.8	1,502.0
Net Value of production(f)—								
Agriculture .. £m.	23.8	38.8	81.9	49.7	64.0	246.7	366.5	(i) 415.2
Pastoral ..	27.2	52.7	75.1	43.0	85.4	400.5	481.3	539.3
Dairying ..	7.6	16.1	35.3	22.6	34.3	103.8	136.5	153.7
Poultry ..	2.0	4.0	9.0	5.7	6.5	31.5	24.9	27.9
Bee-farming ..	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.8	1.6	
Total, Rural ..	60.7	111.7	201.4	121.1	190.6	783.3	1,010.8	1,136.1
Trapping ..	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	1.5	5.0	6.7	5.9	5.7
Forestry ..	{ 2.8	{ 4.8	9.1	3.9	10.2	37.9	50.9	51.8
Fishing and Whaling ..		{ 1.1	1.4	1.4	1.8	5.7	14.3	15.3
Mining and Quarrying ..		22.0	23.3	20.0	13.5	33.4	97.2	138.1	145.5
Total, Non-rural ..	24.8	29.2	30.5	20.3	50.4	147.5	209.2	218.3
Total, Primary ..	85.5	140.9	231.9	141.4	241.0	930.8	1,220.0	1,354.4
Factories ..	29.1	47.5	112.5	111.0	316.5	1,024.9	2,194.9	2,396.0
Total, All Industries ..	114.6	188.4	344.4	252.4	557.5	1,955.7	3,414.9	3,750.4
BUILDINGS—								
New houses and flats completed	{ ..	{ ..	{ ..	{ ..	{ 15.4	{ 80.1	{ 86.3	{ 96.7
No. '000								
Value £m.	{ ..	{ ..	{ ..	{ ..	{ m 14.5	{ 177.0	{ 296.6	{ 616.4
OVERSEA TRADE—								
Imports .. £m. f.o.b.	(a) 38	(a) 61	94	52	174	1,053	885	1,188
Exports .. " " "	50	79	128	108	169	675	1,077	1,393
Principal Exports(g)—								
Wool .. { mill. lb. (h)	529	734	946	903	938	1,036	1,460	1,509
.. { £m. f.o.b.	15	26	48	32	58	323	373	481
Wheat .. { '000 tons	543	1,477	2,677	3,413	598	1,685	5,442	6,801
.. { £m. f.o.b.	2.8	9.6	28.6	19.2	4.6	55.3	142.4	181.2
Flour .. { '000 short tons	97	176	360	611	414	789	579	684
.. { £m. f.o.b.	0.6	1.4	5.5	3.8	4.2	33.0	17.4	21.1
Butter .. { mill. lb.	35	102	127	202	130	25	175	197
.. { £m. f.o.b.	1.4	4.6	8.0	10.3	8.1	4.6	23.5	27.4
Hides and Skins .. £m. f.o.b.	1.3	3.2	3.1	2.3	6.0	17.1	32.2	45.9
Meats .. " " "	2.6	4.3	5.5	6.4	14.1	35.5	89.7	121.9
Fruit(i) .. " " "	0.2	0.5	3.0	4.8	4.0	19.5	35.6	44.8
Sugar .. " " "	(d)	(d)	(d)	2.5	2.6	6.9	33.9	78.3
Gold .. " " "	14.3	12.0	3.5	11.9	9.2	7.0	9.0	7.1
Silver and Lead(j) .. " "	2.3	3.2	2.7	2.9	7.4	32.1	23.5	33.2
Ores and Concentrates(k) .. " "	(d)	3.7	0.8	0.2	1.3	17.0	20.2	21.0

(a) Year ended previous December. (b) Breaks in the continuity of the series occurred in 1931 and 1951. (c) Mine production, i.e., metal content of minerals produced. (d) Less than .05. (e) Owing to variation in classification, effective comparison is impossible. (f) Gross value from 1901 to 1921-22. Prior to 1922 figures are for years ended previous December. (g) Australian produce except gold, which includes re-exports. (h) In terms of greasy. (i) Excludes fruit juices. (j) Includes concentrates. (k) Excluding Lead and Silver-lead ores and concentrates. See note (j). (l) Factory figures and net value of production are for 1962-63. (m) 1945-46, initial year of collection.

Statistical Summary—Australia—continued.

NOTE.—See headnotes on page 116.

Item.	Year ended 30th June—							
	1902.	1912.	1922.	1932.	1942.	1952.	1962 ₁	1964.
OVERSEA TRADE—continued.								
Principal Imports—	(a)	(a)						
Vegetable foodstuffs,								
etc. £m.f.o.b.	3.6	3.7	4.0	2.6	6.1	25.0	28.1	30.8
Apparel, etc. "	10.9	16.2	31.0	15.4	32.7	203.6	104.2	117.7
Oil, etc. "	1.2	1.6	4.7	5.5	16.2	87.5	109.9	126.5
Metals, etc. "	7.8	14.0	22.8	7.4	71.8	393.4	315.3	473.5
Rubber "	0.5	1.4	1.7	0.8	3.2	34.0	17.8	23.2
Paper, etc. "	1.6	2.6	4.4	4.4	4.3	68.8	57.9	71.1
TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION—								
Shipping—	(a)	(a)						(l)
Oversea Vessels, } No.	4,028	4,174	3,111	3,057	2,544	4,136	7,210	6,762
Entrances and } mill. tons	6.5	10.0	9.1	11.4	10.8	18.2	37.7	37.6
Clearances								
Oversea Cargo—								
Discharged .. mill. tons(b)		n.a.	2.4	3.0	5.5	14.4	20.3	22.9
Shipped (b)		n.a.	5.8	6.7	4.2	5.7	18.7	17.0
Interstate Vessels, } No.	n.a.	9,605	9,782	7,957	9,100	7,524	10,127	9,866
Entrances and } mill. tons		13.1	12.8	11.1	12.9	15.8	19.7	19.8
Clearances								
Interstate Cargo Shipped } mill. tons(b)		n.a.	5.5	4.0	10.0	9.0	14.8	15.4
Government Railways—	(c)	(c)						
Route-miles(d) .. '000	12.8	16.8	23.5	27.0	27.2	26.8	25.6	25.5
Passenger-journeys .. mill.	115	228	335	303	475	501	443	442
Goods and livestock carried } mill. tons	15.5	25.5	31.5	26.1	38.9	44.3	55.6	55.9
Train-miles run .. mill.	38.2	55.2	56.1	63.8	88.5	93.4	92.6	92.9
Tramways and Omnibuses—								
Passenger-journeys—								
Trams and Trolley Buses mill.	n.a.	360	569	589	874	663	265	250
Omnibuses (n) "		n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	193	356	453	462
Motor vehicles on the register(d)								(p)
Cars '000		n.a.	102	420	451	1,026	2,203	2,304
Commercial vehicles .. "				96	251	585	(q)517	(q)830
Civil Aviation(e)—								
Plane-miles flown .. mill.				2.5	7.8	41.8	41.2	43.7
Passengers carried .. '000				57	152	1,829	2,666	2,833
Passenger-miles mill.				n.a.	76	722	1,119	1,221
Freight car- .. '000 tons(f)				0.1	1.2	57.5	57.2	59.4
ried mill. ton-miles(f)				n.a.	0.9	26.7	26.1	28.3
Postal—	(a)	(a)						
Postal matter dealt with(g)								
mill. articles	365	680	778	887	1,124	1,482	2,101	2,203
Telegrams and cablegrams mill.	9.9	13.3	16.8	13.9	26.1	29.8	21.6	21.8
Telephones—								
Instruments '000	29	103	259	485	739	1,301	2,382	2,522
Lines "	25	85	196	364	531	923	1,719	(m)1,919
Calls—Trunk mill.	n.a.	n.a.	14.0	28.9	45.3	69.4	76.5	84.5
Local "	n.a.	n.a.	221	369	664	968	1,650	1,809
Broadcast Listeners' Licences(d)								
'000			(h) 36	369	1,320	1,961	2,220	(m)2,302
Television Viewers' Licences(d)								
'000							1,424	(m)1,882
PUBLIC FINANCE—								
Commonwealth—								
Consolidated Revenue Fund—	(c)	(c)						(m)
Revenue £m.	11	21	64	72	210	1,017	1,642	1,905
Expenditure "	4	15	64	72	210	1,017	1,642	1,905
Net loan fund expenditure(i), ..		1	5	4	213	55	91	113
Taxation collections "	9	16	50	54	180	934	1,417	1,599
State—								(l)
Consolidated Revenue Funds—								
Revenue £m.	28	41	85	100	152	388	805	847
Expenditure "	29	41	87	121	149	392	808	848
Net loan expenditure(i) "	9	16	34	6	8	198	198	203
Taxation collections "	3	5	18	33	57	63	177	197
Government Securities on								
Issue(j)—					(k)	(k)	(k)	(k)(m)
Commonwealth £m.		6	354	319	670	1,919	1,560	1,586
State "	213	279	519	789	1,019	1,496	2,981	3,345
Total "	213	285	873	1,108	1,689	3,415	4,541	4,931
Overseas "	n.a.	194	412	522	656	556	712	772
In Australia "	n.a.	91	461	586	1,033	2,859	3,829	4,159

(a) Year ended previous December. (b) Tons weight plus tons measurement. (c) Year ended 30th June. (d) At end of period. (e) Regular internal services. (f) In terms of short tons (2,000 lb.). (g) Letters, postcards, letter-cards, newspapers, packets, parcels and registered articles. (h) Year 1923-24. (i) Loan expenditure on works, services, etc. (j) At 30th June. (k) Expressed in Australian Currency equivalents at ruling rates of exchange. (l) 1962-63. (m) 1963-64. (n) Government and municipal only. (o) Cars and station wagons. (p) 31st December, 1962. (q) Utilities, vans, trucks, etc.

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NOTE.—See headnotes on page 116.

Item.	Year ended 30th June—							
	1902.	1912.	1922.	1932.	1942.	1952.	1962.	1964.
PRIVATE FINANCE—								
Commonwealth Note Issue(a) £m.	..	8	54	51	103	303	431	437
Cheque-paying Banks—								
Advances(b) ..	94	119	182	261	324	817	1,132	1,284
Deposits(b) ..	93	150	289	319	481	1,353	1,941	2,327
Bank clearings(c) ..	338	662	1,702	1,581	2,828	12,160	25,108	32,364
Savings bank deposits(d) ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Life Insurance(c)(e)—	31	59	154	198	274	892	1,735	2,238
Ordinary—								(£)
Policies ..	'000	414	484	730	871	2,554	4,202	4,290
Sum assured ..	£m.	108	109	181	285	1,212	4,372	4,927
Industrial—								
Policies ..	'000	236	467	973	1,550	2,780	3,199	3,076
Sum assured ..	£m.	5	10	30	67	127	353	372
Total—								
Policies ..	'000	650	951	1,703	2,421	6,397	7,401	7,366
Sum assured ..	£m.	113	119	211	352	590	4,725	5,299
SOCIAL STATISTICS—								
Age and Invalid Pensions—								
Pensioners ..	'000(d)	..	90	144	256	336	420	725
Amount paid ..	£m.	..	2.2	5.4	11.1	19.3	59.8	180.2
Child Endowment—								
Children Endowed ..	'000(d)	..	..	..	..	910	2,518	3,420
Endowment paid ..	£m.	..	..	..	..	11.3	46.6	66.4
Total Commonwealth Social and Health Services(f) £m.	..	2.2	6.1	11.5	30.9	137.6	365.2	416.3
War Pensions ..	'000(d)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Service Pensions ..	'000(d)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Education—(c)	£m.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Government Schools—								(j)
Schools ..	'000	7.0	8.0	9.4	10.1	9.5	7.6	7.9
Staff ..	..	14.5	17.0	26.1	33.8	32.1	36.7	60.0
Students ..	..	638	639	819	937	887	1,013	1,663
Non-Government Schools—								
Schools ..	'000	2.5	1.9	1.7	1.8	1.9	1.9	2.1
Staff ..	..	8.3	7.8	8.8	10.0	11.4	13.3	18.1
Students ..	..	149	161	199	221	257	326	524
Universities—								(l)
Number ..	..	4	5	6	6	8	10	10
Staff(g) ..	..	n.a.	249	482	703	1,416	3,132	3,901
Students ..	'000	1.8	3.4	8.0	9.8	13.9	31.7	57.7
Public Hospitals(h)—								
Number ..	(c)	285	355	404	513	566	675	736
Staff—Medical ..	'000	n.a.	1.1	1.5	3.2	3.9	6.9	10.4
Nursing ..	..	n.a.	5.1	6.8	9.3	15.4	24.6	37.6
In-patients, cases treated ..	(i)	91	134	215	371	595	896	1,225
POLICE AND PRISONS(c)—								
Police ..	'000	5.8	6.4	6.9	8.6	9.7	12.3	15.9
Prisons ..	..	n.a.	104	91	85	70	69	74
Prisoners ..	'000	4.3	3.1	2.9	4.2	3.2	4.8	7.5

(a) At the end of June. (b) Figures are for the June quarter. (c) Year ended previous December. (d) At 30th June. (e) Existing business in Australia. (f) Excludes war and service pensions. (g) Teaching and research staff. Includes part-time till 1952, then full-time only. (h) Year ended previous 30th June. (i) Approximate. (j) Year ended December, 1963. (k) 1962. (l) University statistics relate to 1963-64.

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